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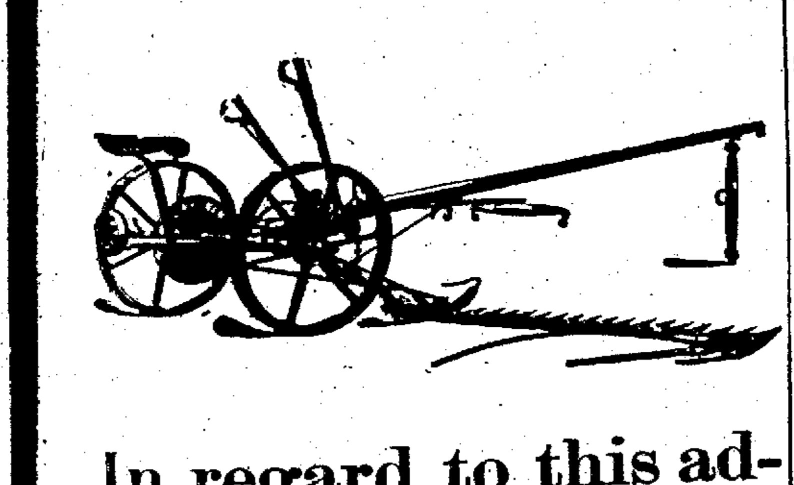

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THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNTS OF EXecutors and Administrators, having been settled in the office of the Register, the same will be presented for confirmation at the Orphan's Court, to be held at Smethport in and for the County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, on the third day of June A. D. 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m.:

First and final account of Dora Marks, executrix of the last will and testament of Abraham Marks, deceased.

First and final account of David Howells, Joanna Davis and W. H. Smith, executors of the last will and testament of Henry Thomas, deceased.

First and partial account of W. J. Hogan, administrator of the estate of Ellis Urquhart, deceased.

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First and final account of Thomas L. Sartwell, administrator of the estate of Charles Wolcott, deceased.

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First and final account of G. H. Dana, guardian of Maude A. McGill, minor child of Frank Dana, deceased.

GEO. W. MITCHELL, Register.
H. M. CHOATE, Deputy.
Smethport, Pa., May 6th, 1895. 19-4t.

Notice.

In the matter of petition of Samuel Christenson to have Mortgage given Valentine Glatt satisfied of record.
In the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County. No. 221, June Term, 1895.

To all parties concerned:

Please take notice that on the 13th day of April A. D., 1895, Samuel Christenson presented his petition to the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, Penn., which has been entered and filed therein at the above number and term. The said petition sets forth the following facts, viz.:

That on the second day of April A. D., 1871, the said Samuel Christenson, made, executed and delivered to Valentine Glatt a certain indenture of mortgage upon a farm containing 65½ acres situate in Wetmore township, McKean county, Pa., to secure the payment of the sum of six hundred dollars in four payments of $150.00 each, which mortgage is recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of McKean county, in Mortgage Book Vol. "B," page 300, &c. That payment was made by the said Samuel Christenson of all the money or amount due thereon more than seven years prior to the presentation of the petition aforesaid. That the said Valentine Glatt, the legal holder of said mortgage, has died without entering satisfaction upon the record of the same, and that the said Samuel Christenson is the owner of the mortgaged premises.

Wherefore you the said parties named, to-wit, the legal representatives of Valentine Glatt, deceased, and any and all other parties concerned, are hereby required to be and appear at the June Term of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, Penna., to be held at Smethport, Penna., on the third day of June A. D. 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., to answer the said petition.

A. B. WALKER, Sheriff.
Smethport, May 7, 1895. 19-4t.

Notice in Divorce.

A. D. No. 9, December Term, 1894.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss:—THE COMMONwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said county, greeting:

Whereas, Clara Weldon did, on the 1st day of October, 1894, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said County, praying for the causes therein set forth she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, George W. Weldon.

We therefore command you, the said George W. Weldon, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean, on the first Monday of June next, to answer the petition or libel of said Clara Weldon and show cause, if any you have, why the said Clara Weldon, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy. A. B. WALKER, Sheriff.
Mullin & Mullin, Libellant's Attorney.
Smethport, Pa., May 9, 1895.

Notice in Divorce.

A. D. No. 35, December Term, 1894.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss.—THE COMMONwealth of Pennsylvania, to the sheriff of said county, greeting:

Whereas, Allen W. Hamm did, on the 8th day of October, 1894, prefer his petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said county, praying for the causes therein set forth he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, Minnie E. Hamm.

We therefore command you, the said Minnie E. Hamm, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean, on the first Monday of June next, to answer the petition or libel of said Allen W. Hamm and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Allen W. Hamm, your husband, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy. A. B. WALKER, Sheriff.
J. W. Boulton, Libellant's Attorney.
Smethport, Pa., May 9, 1895.

Notice in Divorce.

A. D. No. 116, December Term, 1894.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss.—THE COMMONwealth of Pennsylvania to the sheriff of said county, greeting:

Whereas, Hannah D. Richmond, by her next friend, C. E. Richmond, did, on the 31st day of October, 1894, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said county, praying for the causes therein set forth she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, Charles E. Richmond.

We therefore command you, the said Charles E. Richmond, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the county of McKean, on the 1st Monday of June next, to answer the petition or libel of said Hannah D. Richmond and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Hannah D. Richmond, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy. A. B. WALKER, Sheriff.
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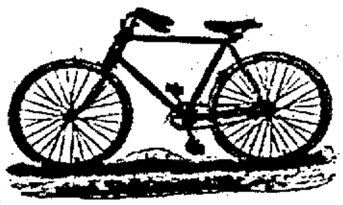

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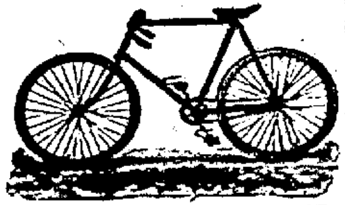

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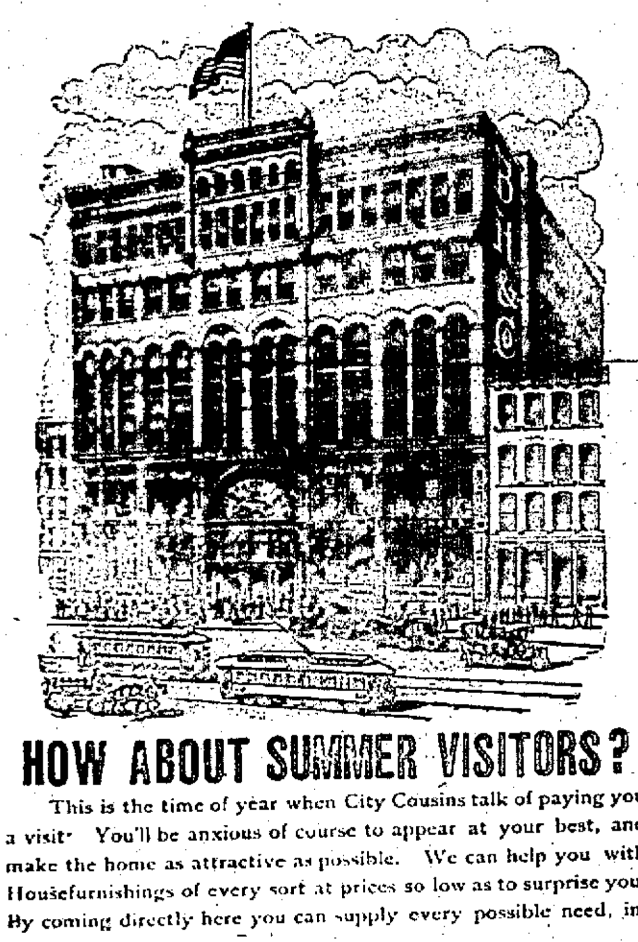

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CHAPTER V.

CARRYING THE NEWS.

Had not Jakey Slack possessed a stout heart he would have quailed at pushing out in the middle of a dark night on a road of which he had no knowledge and possessing the disadvantage of being occupied by neither Union nor Confederate troops. Between the rain and the artillery and the wagons, the roads were all cut to pieces. Water stood everywhere, and often where the way passed over a depression in the ground it was necessary to pass through small lagoons. This in the daytime, when one might keep the road by observing the fences, when there were any, would not have been so difficult, but overshadowed by the great black wings of night there was absolutely no guide save by feeling underfoot or an occasional glimmer ahead indicating that the way lay through an opening in the forest.

Tom floundered along at a very slow pace. Jakey found it not only difficult to keep him in the road, but impossible to keep out of mudholes when on it. Now Tom's fore legs would sink into a soft spot and again would splash into a deep rut, or one leg would be in the rut while the other was on the higher ground. Then he would flounder, while Jakey held on to the saddle with all his strength to keep from being thrown off by Tom's writhings. All the while a drizzling rain was slowly working its way through Jakey's jacket to get at the skin. The boy tried to guide his horse for awhile, but finally concluded that Tom was far better qualified to find his way than he was himself, and dropping the reins on the pommel of the saddle turned his undivided attention to keeping his seat. Every now and then Tom would stop and look about him, as much as to say, "Jakey, I don't like the looks o' things at all." But if Jakey understood him he made no comment on the remark. He had placed Tom in command and did not propose to interfere.

Just before morning the darkness grew thicker. Tom had for several miles proved himself worthy of the confidence reposed in him and kept the road, but all of a sudden he brought up against a snake fence.

Jakey was discouraged. He knew Tom had lost the road, and as for himself he did not feel competent to find it again. Bringing the horse sideways to the fence, he slid off on to the top rail and then down on to the ground. Holding the reins and leading Tom—for he dared not leave him, lest he might not find him again—the boy groped around for awhile looking for the road. It was of no use. Go where he would, there were only stumps and grass, every hollow being filled with water.

He thought of lying down in a fence corner to sleep till morning. But he did not like to do this, for fear that, once asleep, he would not wake up till late the next day, and then the southern army might be away from Tullahoma, with all its stores, and perhaps there were a great many other advantages they would gain that caused Jakey, being a good Union boy, to wince, though he could not name them. But there seemed no alternative. It could not be more than two hours before daylight would show him the road, and he reluctantly concluded to go into bivouac. As he was looking for a good, broad, flat rail to stretch himself on, Tom put his nose over his shoulder affectionately and rested it there. Never before had Jakey felt so deeply any interchange of sympathy with a dumb brute.

"Tom, ole critter," he said, putting his arms about the horse's neck, "this air lonesome."

And Tom seemed to respond as plainly as if the words were spoken:

"Jakey, you bet."

Maybe Tom had an object in view more important than an offer of sympathy. Maybe he had something to communicate. At any rate, as Jakey stood with his arms around the lowered neck and looking over it he espied a light.

"Golly, Tom," he exclaimed, "I reckon y' sor't."

In a moment he had climbed the fence and had regained his place in the saddle. Then, pointing the horse's head directly for the light, with a "Git up, Tom," rider and horse were soon away in the direction of its appearance.

Suddenly there was an ominous click, which in the stillness of the night sounded with all the distinctness of the cocking of a gun.

"Who comt dare?"

"Mister, can y' put me on ter the road?"

"Who you vas?"

"I'm a boy, I air."

"Vat you want?"

"I want ter go ter Manchester."

"Vat for?"

Jakey thought a moment before replying. The question occurred to him, Was this surely a Union picket? No Confederate would be likely to challenge with a German accent.

"I've got some information fo' Mr. Rose—Rose—what's his name?"

"Sheneral Rosecrans?"

"Yes."

Jakey was led over a stubble field which had not been planted since the previous season and brought before a group of half a dozen tents, the headquarters of the colonel commanding the —th cavalry brigade. The colonel had not yet risen. Jakey's conductor explained to the sentinel on post that the boy had important information, whereupon the sentinel shouted, loud enough to wake the whole army, "Corporal of the guard!" The summoned soldier came, and it was explained to him that Jakey had important information. The corporal went off to fetch the officer of the guard.

"What you want, sonny?" asked that person when he arrived, buttoning a coat he had just put on.

"I don't want nothin."

"Oh, you don't. I thought you did."

"Reckon I got somep'n you uns want, but I'm gittin tired answerin questions 'bout it."

"Well, what is it, my little man?"

"I ain't no little man. I'm a boy."

"Can't you tell me what you have for us?" asked the officer, smiling.

"Can't tell nobody but somebody big."

"I don't know anybody bigger than our chief of staff about here. I'll call him."

So the chief of staff was called up and informed that Jakey had information of the enemy. The chief of staff called up the colonel commanding, who suddenly appeared at the tent door in a pair of trousers and a woolen shirt.

It was evident from the moment the colonel espied Jakey sitting on old Tom in front of the tent and Jakey espied the slender figure of the colonel, with his blue eyes and light hair, that they had met before, not only that they had met, but that they must have been united by some chord of great durability. There were two exclamations like pistol shots.

"Big brother!" from Jakey.

"Little brother!" from the colonel.

Colonel Mark Maynard strode up to the boy, took him in his arms, and Jakey might have as well been in the embrace of a bear for a time, while not a word was spoken. Then there was a fusillade of questions and answers, after which the colonel took Jakey into his tent and sat him on his own camp cot. Jakey lost no time in giving a brief account of his trip from school, how he had slept at the guerrilla's house and how his father had heard of the evacuation of Tullahoma.

The colonel, throwing open the tent flap and seeing his chief of staff outside, called him in.

"Captain," he said, "ride over to corps headquarters and say that a boy has just come in who is sent by his father to say that he slept last night at the house of a guerrilla, who told his wife, not knowing that he was overheard, that they are getting out of Tullahoma. Say that the information is perfectly reliable, as it has been brought by a Union boy who went with me on my most important mission when I was a scout and rendered me on that occasion the most valuable service a human being can render another. Ride at once. Never mind the division commander. There's no time to spare for army etiquette. Go."

The captain saluted, and without waiting for his own horse to be saddled mounted the horse of an orderly and dashed away.

CHAPTER VI.

TULLAHOMA.

Colonel Maynard was ordered to push forward down the road from Manchester toward Tullahoma in order to test the truth of Jakey Slack's information. Jakey begged permission to go with him, but the colonel told him that he had better go back to his father and sister. Jakey argued that he could as well return from Tullahoma if they should reach it, and, if not, from any point where they might halt. The colonel at last consented, and as they rode off he remarked to the members of his staff, using the conventional military phrase for announcing a staff officer in orders, "Gentlemen, this is Jacob Slack, volunteer aid-de-camp to the colonel commanding the —th cavalry brigade, and will be obeyed and respected as such." The announcement, couched in these terms, so delighted Jakey that he came well nigh losing his balance and falling off old Tom's back and getting himself trampled on by the rest of the staff. But after the first flurry he made a most efficient aid-de-camp—that is, if riding close beside the colonel and being always ready for an order which was never given constitute a good staff officer.

About noon the fortifications around the town of Tullahoma suddenly appeared before them. Though it was plain now that they were not to be defended, the advancing force half expected to see a cloud of smoke burst from them. But they were silent and impotent, without troops to man them.

Dashing from the edge of the wood, Colonel Maynard, followed by Jakey and the rest of the staff, rode over the intervening space, and in a few minutes was climbing the slanting sides of the earthworks. A point had been gained which, without the previous manœuvers, would have cost thousands of lives. Even Jakey Slack, who can hardly be called an educated soldier, experienced a certain comfort on riding unopposed over breastworks so formidable. Once within them, he got off his horse, and seeing a big siege gun from under which the carriage had been burned, climbed on to it and sat a-straddle, waving his hat and cheering as vociferously as if the victory had been exclusively due to his own genius.

His hilarity was suddenly quenched by the colonel, who, riding up to him, told him that the brigade was ordered forward in pursuit of the retreating enemy, and that he must go back to his father and sister. Jakey begged hard to go on, but his appeal was unavailing. His brief dignity must be resigned. From aid-de-camp on the staff of the colonel commanding the —th brigade, "to be obeyed and respected as such," he must be reduced to the level of a small boy.

The colonel gave him a hug before parting and told him that he would send a trooper with him to see him safely on his way. Had Jakey been a soldier his action on this occasion would have been considered by any court martial rank mutiny.

"D'y' think I hain't nobody nohow? Didn't I go with y' last summer ter Chattanooga when y' war nuthin but a scout? 'N didn't I stay in jail with y'? Now yer talkin 'bout sendin a sojer with me fo' a nuss."

"All right, Jakey. Go it alone if you prefer it."

The colonel rode away, and Jakey, shorn of the plumage he had worn so becomingly for a whole half day, proceeded on his return journey. He first inquired the most direct route to Hillsboro, and having been directed to it he set off at a brisk trot. He had eaten nothing since early morning and was ravenously hungry. At a farmhouse by the way he secured a meal for himself and a good feed for Tom. Then the old woman who furnished them gave him a kiss and started him again on his journey.

Jakey had not gone far before he came to a road connecting Hillsboro with the MacMinnville branch of the railroad at a place called Concord. The road on which he was traveling forked into the other at an acute angle, the two running nearly parallel for a short distance. Looking ahead toward the fork, he saw a rig which struck him at once as being astonishingly familiar. It was none other than a rawboned horse and paint bereft buggy he had seen several times before. As it drew near, Jakey could see some one in the buggy, and he was not long in recognizing the peculiar dress of Miss Betsy Baggs.

"Hello, Miss Baggs! Whar y' goin at?" he called.

Never a word spoke Miss Baggs. She sat bolt upright in her buggy, regarding the boy fixedly as Bobby Lee triangulated onward. As she passed she turned her head slowly, keeping her spectacles on Jakey with an unearthly stare. There is something superstitious in all human beings and especially in boys. Something like a shiver ran down Jakey's back at sight of this singular person, who knew him perfectly, yet who passed him, her head turning mechanically, without uttering a word. For a moment he was tempted to believe that Miss Baggs had perished, and this was her ghost going to seek rest in some other land than war scarred Tennessee. But this feeling was momentary. Throwing it off, he shouted:

"Shell I give yer love ter Kate when I see him?"

If Miss Baggs was trying to make the boy believe he was mistaken, or that he saw her disembodied spirit, her effort failed signally at this point. A peal of suppressed laughter came back on the breeze to Jakey. Looking after her, he saw the back of the buggy, from which streamed the tatters of the top sail under it Bob Lee's four legs mingled in inextricable confusion, doing some of their best work.

"She uns hain't bent on no good," said Jakey to himself as he gave Tom a jog. "Reckon she's up ter somep'n."

Jakey rode on musing upon Miss Baggs. He had noticed her kind treatment of his sister, and as Jakey was disposed to regard Souri the most important person on earth after Colonel Maynard Miss Baggs had thus found her way into that youthful something or other which for want of a better name may be called Jakey's heart. His remark was made with great seriousness. Jakey felt that it was his duty as a Union sympathizer to put some one on Miss Baggs' track. "She mought be workin fo' the Confederates," he mused, "'n then agin she moughtn't." The latter view was most agreeable to him, because he liked Miss Baggs and would grieve to see any harm come to her.

While he was jogging along, turning the matter over in his mind, he saw several horsemen in blue and yellow come tearing down the road. They reined in when they came up with him and opened a volley of questions.

"Say, boy, did you see a woman with a striped dress and goggles go by?"

"'N a long legged, wind busted critter?"

"Yes."

"'N an ole rattlin buggy?"

"Yes."

"What d'y' want with her?"

"Never mind that. Have you seen her?"

"Waal, never mind whether I have or not. Git up, Tom!"

This brought the questioner to terms.

"RECKON THEM UNS HEZ GOT IT BAD."

"Are you a Confederate boy?"

"Don't I live in Tennessee?"

"I suppose that means you are Confederate. We've no time to lose. The woman in that buggy is—is"— He was conjuring up a story to deceive the stupid looking boy before him and get the required information, but he was not good at inventions. Jakey came to the rescue.

"Wanted by you uns' general or colonel or somep'n?"

"Yes."

"Fo' ter keep her outen danger cos she's like nuff ter run inter a guerrilla camp?"

The man looked wonderingly at the boy, who was making a story for him unasked.

"Y-e-s," he replied, uncertain what to say.

"Waal, she's gone along thar. When y' git ter th' fork in th' road, take th' left fork."

"All right. Thanks, my little man," and the party galloped away to take the wrong road on reaching the fork.

Jakey pursued his course meditatively.

"Reckon that warn't me done thet. It must 'a' ben som un else. I air a Union boy, I air. She un's Confederate. Like nuff some un got a'[illegible] o' her. Reckon I can't be Union ef I helped her out. Waal, she likes Souri anyway. Reckon she won't do no harm."

Notwithstanding the view taken at the close of Jakey's soliloquy, he felt very much dissatisfied with himself. He rode on thoughtfully, wondering what Colonel Maynard would say if he should know what he had done. He soon met a soldier on a lame horse. Jakey inferred that he belonged to the party ahead, but had been obliged to drop out of the chase.

"Say, mister," called the boy, "what them uns chasin thet woman in the buggy fo'?"

"Did you pass her."

"Yes."

"Put 'em on the track?"

"Reckon."

"She tried to slip through the lines on a forged pass. The guard was suspicious and took the pass to headquarters —after letting her go thorough, though, like a fool—when the trick was discovered."

"Waal, reckon they'll ketch her," and Jakey rode on.

As the dusk of the evening was coming on Tom was seen by Farmer Slack far down the street advancing at a jog trot and on him Jakey, bobbing up and down, his elbows stuck out on each side and his little legs at an obtuse angle with the rest of his body. Riding up to the little porch in front of the house, Jakey slid down from Tom's high back with as much dignity as he could command on descending from such a height. The whole household, including the children, was there to receive him, and Jakey was about to give them an account of how he had served on Colonel Maynard's staff when he caught his father's eye.

"Y', Jake," said Mr. Slack, "[illegible] I send y' out ter th' barn [illegible] the critters last night, 'n [illegible] ridin all over, nobody [illegible] Whar y' been?"

"Waal," said Jakey, [illegible] readily, "I foun Tom [illegible] ed him all over th' United [illegible]"

"I'm glad y' got him," [illegible] father. "Go in 'n git yer [illegible]"

CHAPTER VII.

OLD [illegible]

It was the middle of August [illegible] the different columns of the [illegible] the Cumberland began to [illegible] mountains between it and Cha[illegible] in pursuit of the Confederates [illegible] withdrawn to that place and there [illegible] trenched themselves. Meanwhile [illegible] Slack family had arrived at their [illegible] near Jasper, in the Sequatchie [illegible] Much to Souri's surprise, [illegible] about the place looked [illegible] she left it a year before, [illegible] had ever known. A [illegible] dence in the north, [illegible] comfort, associating with the [illegible] of refined people, had made a [illegible] change in her. Now the [illegible] peared dilapidated, the [illegible] rough. Indeed there was a [illegible] ment about "sweet home" that she had not expected. Nevertheless she did not sit down and repine over it. She had [illegible] means of procuring anything better, but she found that she could do a good deal of patching. With considerable [illegible] thought she had brought some cheap material of different kinds with her from the north, and this she used to the best advantage. She made neat valances for the beds, cushions for her mother's rocking chair, scarfs for the bureau—in fact, with very little she made quite a revolution in the house.

Her great anxiety was her brother. Jakey had attended well to his studies while at school, but his teachers had found it impossible to change his methods of expressing himself. As soon as he reached Tennessee he began to relapse into the state of semibarbarism in which he had lived before the coming of his advantages. Souri knew that there was no hope for improvement in her father and mother. Instead of scolding them when their ways of acting and speaking shocked her, she refrained from comment, but when Jakey dropped into his old ways she tried hard to check him. Besides she felt that it was necessary to keep a strict guard over herself, for she had noticed that when under any excitement or when her feelings were deeply touched she was apt to forget herself and be once more the "poor white" girl of former days.

There was another cause of solicitude as to Jakey. It must be admitted, notwithstanding Jakey's good points and a certain original shrewdness there was about him, that he never was the same boy after his few hours of service on Colonel Maynard's staff. It was constantly "when I war Colonel Maynard's aid-der-camp," or "when the colonel 'n me rode inter Tullyhomy," or "when I carried the news of the [illegible]." Then he would strut about with his hands in his pockets, much to his father's amusement and Souri's dread that he would run away and join the Union army. But one day when he threatened to do so Souri took him to task for it and made him promise that he would not. This ended her anxiety, for Jakey would as soon have forgotten his military honors as break a pledge to his sister.

The Army of the Cumberland was now advancing by every possible route toward Chattanooga. One of the routes taken by the Union army lay through the Sequatchie valley and directly past the Slacks' little farm. One evening Souri was leaning over the gate thoughtfully when she saw several mounted men in blue, with yellow facings, trotting down the road. They were the first bluecoats to appear of the host that was coming. There is a certain jaunty air, a devil may care appearance, about a trooper who becomes used to being always on horseback. Each man and horse [illegible] clanked in unison, and they were chatting and laughing as if they had come to the south with only the most peaceful intentions. When they reached the gate where Souri stood, one of them, lifting his hat politely, asked:

"Would ye mind me goin to the well for a little water?"

In the brilliant display that was revealed by the lifting of the man's hat Souri recognized a head she could never forget—the head of Corporal Ratigan.

"Why," she said, "ain't you Corporal Ratigan?"

"I am, me young lady, and if I'm not mistaken ye're one of the party that was goin through the lines one day a few weeks ago."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Tourists' Gold In Italy.

At the British embassy to the king of Italy a calculation was made some time ago of the amount of gold brought by travelers into Italy every year. By far the largest number of these travelers come from England and the United States. The calculations made it evident that no less than £20,000,000, or $100,000,000, are brought into this country and left here by these travelers. In the scantiest years that sum has not been less than £14,000,000, while on other occasions it has risen to [illegible]. Mr. Stamer, a writer on Italy, relates that an old woman in Sorrento [illegible] told him that the people in England had no sun, because the English had told her time and again that it was not for society they had come to Italy, but to see the sun. Besides all the English were fair and ruddy. If they had [illegible], why were they not all sunburnt if they do get sunshine in Italy, as they say they pay very sweetly for the [illegible]

McKean County Miner.

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY.

Smethport, Pa., May 17, 1895.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the name of John W. Campbell, of Kane, as a candidate for nomination for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of James A. McKean, of Smethport, as a candidate for nomination for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Thomas R. Clark, of Bradford, as a candidate for nomination for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

BRADFORD, PA., April 10, 1895.

To the Republican Electors of McKean County:

Pursuant to action of Republican County Committee, notice is hereby given that a Republican County Convention will be held at the Court House at Smethport on Tuesday, the 11th day of June, 1895, at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating a candidate for County Treasurer and electing two delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held at Harrisburg on a day to be hereafter named, and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly presented.

Primaries for the election of delegates to said County Convention (two from each district) and members of the county committee for the ensuing year (one from each district) will be held in each of the respective election districts of the county, at the regular polling places, on Saturday, the 8th day of June next, between the hours of seven o'clock and nine o'clock in the evening, excepting in such election districts where the hours have been changed.

T. R. CLARK, Chairman.
A. D. GOULD, Secretary.

IT is to be hoped that Cleveland's threat to become a Republican will be averted.

THE little State of Delaware is in a strange predicament over the Senatorial question. When Governor Marvel died, State Senator Watson became acting Governor. Instead of resigning as president of the senate, he attempted to fill both positions. Last week, just before the final adjournment, Colonel Henry A. DuPont was elected United States Senator from Delaware, or would have been had not Watson tried to fill two important positions at one and the same time. If he was Senator he could not be Governor, if he was governor he certainly could not be Senator or President of the joint session of Delaware's Assembly, and by his vote prevent the election of Henry DuPont as U. S. Senator, and then step into the Governor's chair and refuse the proper credentials to DuPont to gain him admission in the U. S. Senate. Mr Watson is certainly showing a very low type of statesmanship in trying to defeat the will of the majority by refusing the certificate of election to Colonel Henry A DuPont, and the Democratic party will lose what little hold they have upon the State of Delaware if such actions continue.

REAL ESTATE EXEMPT.

A decision just made by the treasury department is to the effect that profits derived by owners of lands from which coal is mined are not subject to income taxation, for the reason that they are profits derived from real estate. The opinion of the treasury department takes the ground that while rents and profits acquired by the owner of leasehold or subordinate interests in real estate do not fall within the exemption extended to rents and income of real estate, and are therefore subject to taxation, as income under the law and regulations providing for the return and payment of tax on income, yet all rents, profits and income derived from land and its immediate products acquired directly by the owners of the freehold or dominant estate are exempt from taxation as income of said owner. This exemption, the department says, extends to all rents paid for the use of real estate, either in money or a portion of the products of the land, and applies alike to all coal, oil, mineral and other substances taken from land. This decision is of great importance to the owners of mineral lands.—*Bradstreets.*

INCOME TAX.

One of the most striking points made by Mr. Choate in his closing speech against the income tax law was contained in his statement as to the fiscal results of the income tax legislation during the war. He said that while up to the close of 1866 the government had expended for war purposes more than $4,000,000,000, only a little over $186,000,000 came from the income tax, showing that the tax played an insignificant part in supplying the country's requirements at the time of its greatest necessity. A somewhat similar comparison can be made regarding the income tax legislation of the last Congress. No feature of the work of that body has called forth more criticism than the tax whose validity is now before the Supreme Court, yet the net outcome of the law, from a financial standpoint, will amount, in all probability, to less than a twentieth of the total revenue of the government for the year.—*Bradstreets.*

SILVER MEN SCHEMING.

There is a book being extensively circulated by the free silverites called "Coin's Financial School." This book claims to have had business men throughout the country in the said school and purports to give their answers on the financial questions of the day. For the purpose of showing up the schemes of these free silver men, we publish statements of three of the gentlemen that Coin in his book claims attended his financial school.

"I beg to say that I never attended any such lecture, that I never asked any such questions, or made any such answers, as are there set forth (in 'Coin's Financial School'). It is a fabrication from beginning to end. I have had many letters from all parts of the country inquiring whether or not I was correctly reported in the alleged discussion, all of which I have answered in the negative. It is time the truth was put on foot to overtake the lie. Yours truly,
"N. Y., April 9, 1895. L. J. GAGE."

"I never attended any of the lectures referred to in that book ('Coin's Financial School') and therefore could not have used the language with which I am credited.
"Chicago, April 11. JOHN R. WALSH."

"The book ('Coin's Financial School') is filled with so many false and misleading statements that I have deemed it unworthy of notice. But I am glad to give publicity to the denial that any such lectures as are detailed in the book ever took place in Chicago, or anywhere else; and here say that I was never present at any such meetings, and that I never made any of the remarks attributed to me on page 68, or on any other page. The whole book is a clever fabrication of falsehoods. Very truly yours,
J. L. LAUGHLIN."
"Chicago, April 13, 1895.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at Frank K. [illegible]'s and A. E. Armstrong's Drug Store.

THE FACTS IN THE CASE.

James A. McKean Defends His Character.

To the Republican Voters of McKean County:

In my travels through the country, I have discovered that a very serious charge has been made in many places against my honor as a man and my integrity as a public citizen. It would be doing myself a great injustice not to brand the report as false in every particular.

Several reputable citizens of the county have said to me within the past few days that they have been told by those who are opposing my nomination that three years ago I sold out my chance of nomination in the interest of a candidate for the State Senate. The facts are these: I entered into that contest for the nomination for county treasurer with the only purpose in view of securing it. At the end of the contest I discovered that the overshadowing interest in the convention was the Senatorial nomination and that a number of delegates who I had supposed were elected as McKean delegates and who would stand by me to the last were really more interested in the success of their choice for Senator than they were in my nomination.

The delegates representing Kane and vicinity had a candidate for treasurer in the person of David Howells, Esq. They came to Smethport a compact body of ten or a dozen men, determined to secure his nomination. They disclaimed any special interest in the Senatorial nomination but would cast their votes in whatever direction would inure to the benefit of their candidate. They virtually held the balance of power. There could be but one result. Every interest was subordinate to the important one of nominating a Senator. Before midnight of the day before the convention, I discovered that my own delegates were talking of voting for Howells. I tried to persuade them to stand by me, that my nomination was not only possible but probable. I had more delegates for treasurer than any other candidate and firmly believed I could be nominated. But the pressure was so great that I was literally forced out of the convention without the promise of favor or reward of any character. I made no "deal" with any man and did not receive a cent for withdrawing from the contest. I defy any man in McKean county to produce evidence to the contrary. There are at least twenty men in the county, some of whom are today canvassing in the interests of one of my competitors, who know that the statements I have made are absolutely true. JAMES A. MCKEAN.

Smethport, Pa., May 13 1895.

Doctor H. R. Fish, of Gravois Mills, Mo., a practicing physician of many years experience, writes: DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal for indolent sores, scalds and burns. It stops pain instantly, heals a burn quickly and leaves no scar. A. W. Colegrove

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MONDAY, JUNE 3, 1895.

at 1 p. m., the following several pieces of property.

1.

Defendant's interest in all that certain leasehold situate, lying and being in the township of Hamlin and county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, on lands of A. I. Wilcox, Norman Schultz, executor Irving Schultz, Mary A. Schultz, widow of H. M. Schultz, deceased, Laura Barnes and E. H. Barnes, her husband, Emma J. Schultz and demised and leased unto S. W. Stewart, of Venango county by the said A. I. Wilcox et. al., by written indenture of lease bearing date the 8th day of August, A. D., 1884, for the term of fifteen years from the date thereof for oil and gas purposes, and recorded in the Recorder's office in and for McKean county in Deed Book vol. 47, page 446, &c., said leasehold being bounded and described as follows: Being ten acres of land situate in the northwest corner of warrant number 3073 in sub-division number one of the said Warrant said ten acres of land being in as nearly a square form as possible from said Northwest corner of said Warrant and sub-division; said leasehold having been assigned by first party by said T. W. Stewart, by assignment dated November 15, 1884, which said assignment is recorded herewith containing ten acres together with the following mentioned buildings, fixtures and machinery thereon and to the lease belonging to wit: Four Oil Wells rigs appurtenances &c, including 1 Boiler, 4 Engines, 2 Tanks, 6600 ft tubing, 1800 ft casing, 6400 ft sucker rods, 200 ft drive pipe, engine house, derricks and all tools thereon. Together with all and singular the said leasehold estate term of years yet to come rights of way liberties privileges and appurtenances whatsoever.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Michael Miller at the suit of A. T. Herrick.

J. M. McClure, plaintiffs attorney.

2.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Foster Township (formerly Bradford Township) McKean County Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post in the southeast corner of lot No. 21 of the allotment of Keating lands in Bradford Township now Foster Township County of McKean, State of Pennsylvania contracted to John Lyons. Thence north fifty (50) perches to a post southwest corner of lot No. 17 contracted for by D. Cornelius; Thence by the south line thereof east two hundred five (205) perches to the southeast corner of same lot No. 17; Thence south thirty degrees east fifty-seven and five-tenths (57 5-10) perches to a post, Thence west two hundred and thirty-four (234) perches to the place of beginning. Containing sixty-eight and six-tenths (68 6-10) acres strict measure and being lot No. 18 of the allotment of Keating lands in Foster Township formerly Bradford Township as aforesaid and part of Warrant No. 4334 and conveyed by William V. Keating et. al. to Geo. G. Reynolds by deed dated Nov. 28th, 1864 and recorded in the Recorder's office at Smethport, McKean county, Pa., in Deed Book "O" page 90 etc.

ALSO—A certain tract or parcel of land bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a beech corner in the south line of Warrant No. 4334 being eighty-two (82) perches west from a birch in the southeast corner of said Warrant, Thence west one hundred and seventeen and seven tenths (117 7-10) perches to a post corner in centre of road, Thence north fifty-seven degrees west one hundred and sixteen (116) perches to a post corner, Thence east two hundred and fifteen (215) perches to a post corner in southeast corner of lot No. 18, Thence south sixty three (63) perches to the place of beginning. Containing sixty-five and five-tenths (65 5-10) acres strict measure being lot No. 29 of the allotment of Keating lands in Foster Township formerly Bradford Township County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania and part of Warrant No. 4334, also the same lands conveyed by William V. Keating to Geo. G. Reynolds now deceased by deed dated Dec. 7th 1864 and recorded in Smethport McKean county, Pa. in deed book "O" page 101 etc., and all of the above land is hereby fully conveyed save and except fourteen acres sold off from the northern part of same described tract by Geo. G. Reynolds to one Eddy and leaving for the conveyance of all the right, title and interest of the grantor and being for thirty and five-tenths (30 5-10) acres, and being the same land conveyed to Mary F. [illegible] now Mary F. Reynolds by Andrew J. Holdsworth by deed dated Feb. 17th 1885, and recorded at Smethport, McKean county, Pa. Feb 28th, 1885, in Deed Book No. 71, page 125 etc. for thirty and five-tenths (30 5-10) acres of the above lands. Improved and having thereon one one and one-half story frame house with ell attached, two frame barns, one good orchard, one shed and usual outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of A. J. Holdsworth and Sylvia Reynolds at the suit of W. L. Wells.

Mullin & Mullin plaintiff's attorneys.

3.

All that tract or parcel of land situate in the Township of Keating, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of the north part of lot No. 429 in the allotment of lands of the Bingham estate conveyed Dec. 1st 1880, together with the north part of lot No. 427 to William Marshall, Michael Marshall and John B. Smithman; thence along the south line of said lots south 87 degrees east one hundred and four perches, thence along the west line of lot No. 208 contracted prior to Dec. 1st 1880 to be sold to Alderman A. Hopkins, Charles [illegible] Frederick M. Pratt and Charles H. Filkins, south three and one half degrees west 82 and five-tenths perches, thence along the north line of the north part of lot No. [illegible] conveyed Dec. 1st 1880, to Wm. H. Bowen and [illegible] Kelley and the north line of lot No. 432 leased to George V. Forman north 87 and one-half degrees west 104 perches and thence along the East line of lot No. 371 leased to Wm. Marshall and John B. Johnson being also the east line of Warrant No. 2297 north three and one-half degrees east eighty two and five-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing fifty four acres strict measure be the same more or less, it being the south parts of lots Nos. 427 and 429 of the allotment of lands of the Bingham estate and a part of Warrants No. 2297.

Also another lot or tract of land situate in the Township and County aforesaid bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of lot No. 22, of the Bingham lands in the township aforesaid conveyed Dec. 1st 1880, to [illegible] Taylor, Thence along the north line of said lot south eighty seven and one half degrees east ninety two and seven tenths perches, thence along the west line of lot No. [illegible] conveyed to Henry Morse and the West line of lot No. 27 leased to [illegible] Frederick M. Pratt and Charles H. Filkins, by them assigned to William H. Johnson and [illegible] north two and one-half degrees east seventy five perches, thence along the south line of lot Nos. [illegible] contracted prior to Dec. 1st 1880 to be sold [illegible] John B. [illegible] Henry H. [illegible] north eighty seven and one half degrees west ninety [illegible] and seven tenths perches and thence along the east line of lot No. 282 [illegible] south two and one-half degrees west seventy five perches to the place of beginning, containing forty three acres and four tenths of an acre be the same more or less, it being lot No. 22 of the Bingham lands in the Township aforesaid and a part of Warrant No. 2353 excepting and reserving therefrom one-eighth part of all Petroleum and Gas as provided in the deed of said lands from Charles Willing, surviving trustee, dated Dec. 1st, 1880 and recorded in the Recorder's office of McKean County, Pa. in Deed Book No. 59 page 509 &c., on the 21st day of June 1881 subject to all reservations and performances of every kind contained in the last named deed from Charles Willing to Richard W. Evans and Mary J. Thompson [illegible] a strip out of this grant a certain iron tank of about 20,000 bbls capacity together with one-half acre of land upon which said tank is located being the same tank and half acre reserved in the deed last aforementioned and also recited in a deed from Alonzo J. Thompson to C. W. Scofield with the right of ingress and egress to and from said half acre the premises hereinbefore described are the same conveyed to C. W. Scofield by the McCalmont Oil Company by deed bearing date the 16th day of Feb. 1885 and recorded on the 23rd day of Feb. 1885 in the Recorder's office of McKean County in Deed Book Vol 57 page 445 &c. Also granting and conveying all that certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying, and being in McKean Co. aforesaid bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of lot No. 423 of the allotment of the Bingham estate aforesaid thence along the west line of said lot south three and one-half degrees west seventy six and five tenths perches thence along the north line of the south parts of lots Nos. 427 and 429 north 87 degrees west 104 perches thence along the east line of lot No. 371, being also the east line of Warrant No. 2297 North three and one half degrees east 76 and five-tenths perches, thence along the south line of lot No. 230 and of lot No. 322, south 87 degrees east 104 perches to the place of beginning, containing fifty acres strict measure be the same more or less it being the north part of lots Nos. 425 and 427 of the allotment of the Bingham estate aforesaid and part of Warrant No. 2297 and also that other piece or parcel of land situate in the County and State aforesaid, beginning at the northwest corner of lot No. 230 of the allotment of the Bingham lands in Keating Township, thence along the west line of said lot south two and one-half degrees west 77 and seven-tenths perches, thence along the north line of the north parts of lots Nos. 427 and 429 above described and the north line of lots No. 371, north 87 degrees west 93 and seven-tenths perches thence along the east line of lot No. 226 north two and one-half degrees east 75 and three tenths perches, thence along the south line of lot No. 220 south 87 and one-half degrees east 93 and seven tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing forty-four and three-tenths acres of land strict measure be the same more or less, it being lot No. 230 of the allotment of the Bingham lands aforesaid and part of Warrants Nos. 2297 and 2353 being the same premises conveyed by Wm. Marshall and others to C. W. Scofield and recorded in the office of the Recorder of McKean County, Pa. on the 14th day of June 1883, in Deed Book No. 59 page 57 &c., excepting and reserving nevertheless as to the two lots last above described from and out of this conveyance the one-eighth part of all petroleum and Gas as provided in a certain deed of said premises from Charles Willing trustee to William Marshall et. al., dated Dec 1st, 1880 and recorded as aforesaid in Deed Book No. 53 at page 311 &c., to which this conveyance is made subject together with all and singular the buildings, improvements, woods, ways, rights, liberties, privileges hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining. Improved and having thereon 31 oil wells, 31 sets rig irons 31 pumping outfits, 4 boilers, 31 engines, about 1000 ft steam lines, about 6000 ft 5⅝ casing, about 51,000 ft 2 inch tubing, about 30,000 ft sucker rods, 1 250 bbl tanks, 1 400 bbl tank, 1 63 bbl tank, 18 tubbl receiving tanks, etc., etc., upon the entire premises. Note. The above property will be offered together or seperately as may be desired.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Anna E. Scofield, Carl W. Scofield, Defts., Tidal Oil Company, Terre Tenant at the suit of the First National Bank of Jamestown, N. Y.

Samuel Grumbine, plaintiff's attorney.

4.

Defendant's interest in all that certain tract or piece of land situate, lying and being in the city of Bradford, in the county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of Walker's land at a post in the corner of the Alley now laid out and known as —— Alley; thence north twenty-two (22) feet to [illegible] Matteson's lease; thence east seventy-three (73) feet to a post, thence south twenty-two (22) feet to a post; thence west seventy-three feet to the place of beginning, subject however to a lease given to J. C. Chamberlin Sons & Co. and reserving the building situate thereon which belongs to the said J. C. Chamberlin Sons & Co., being same land conveyed by Myron Mosher and wife by deed bearing date the second day of April A. D. 1879, and recorded in the Recorder's office of McKean county in Deed Book No. 8, page 440 &c. Improved.

ALSO—All that certain piece parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the southeast corner of School and Bennett streets of said city; thence east along the south line of School street to the West line of Centre street; thence south along the west line of Centre street to the north line of State street; thence west along the north line of State street to the east line of Bennett street; thence north along the east line of Bennett street to the place of beginning; being village lots Nos. 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303 and 304, and being a portion of land deeded by Thomas J. Melvin and wife to Thurston W. Cole by deed bearing date the twenty-sixth day of October A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Recorder's office of McKean county in Deed Book "V" page 533, &c. Improved and having thereon one two-story board dwelling house, two board barns, five two-story board houses seven board cottages, one oil well with boiler, engine, tank, tank house, and usual outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of T. W. Cole at the suit of J. W. Gallup use of George L. Cole now by substitution C. J. Cole, executor of George L. Cole, deceased.

M. H. Byles, plaintiff's attorney.

5.

Defendant's interest in all the following described tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post on the north line of Washington street at the southwest corner of lot No. 211, thence north twenty-one (21) rods more or less to a post at the northwest corner of lot No. 259, thence west six (6) rods more or less to a post at the northeast corner of lot No. 257, thence south twenty-one (21) rods more or less to a post at the southeast corner of lot No. 213, thence east, six (6) rods more or less to the place of beginning containing one hundred and twenty-six square rods more or less, being village lots numbered 212 and 258 according to the plan of the borough of Bradford and being the same lots conveyed to Ellen Morrison by Daniel Kingsbury and wife by deed bearing date September 1st, 1880, and recorded in the Recorder's office in and for said county in Deed Book "K" page 127, and being the same premises conveyed by the said Ellen Morrison to the said Sophia G. Cole by deed bearing date December 16th, A. D. 1883, and recorded in the Recorder's office in and for McKean county, Penna, in Deed Book "T" page 17 et seq. Improved and having thereon one two-story frame house, two one-story frame houses, one small frame barn, one oil well complete, one small barn and usual outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Sophia G. Cole and T. W. Cole at the suit of C. J. Cole, executor of the estate of G. L. Cole, deceased, by substitution.

M. H. Byles, plaintiff's attorney.

6.

Defendant's interest in all the certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the township of Keating county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing in the centre of the highway, leading from Smethport to Farmers Valley in the south line of the Samuel Rockwell farm; thence south along the highway thirty-two rods to a post corner; thence west one hundred sixty rods to a post corner; thence north thirty-two rods to a post in the south line of the said Rockwell farm, thence east along said line one hundred sixty rods to the place of beginning, containing thirty-two acres of land be the same more or less. Improved, and having thereon one one and one-half story frame dwelling house, with ell attached, one frame barn, one good orchard, and usual outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Emily F. Freeman at the suit of D. J. Young, executor of A. D. Burbank, deceased.

Sheridan Gorton, plaintiff's attorney.

7.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece, parcel or lot of land situate, lying and being in the city of Bradford, county of McKean and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the northwesterly side of east Main street (formerly Whitney Avenue before the annexation of Kendall borough) two hundred and thirty-eight (238) feet southerly from the angle in said street said angle being one thousand and eleven (1011) feet southerly from the original city line before the said annexation of Kendall borough, thence northwesterly and at right angles with said street forty (40) feet more or less to the right of way of the Olean, Bradford and Warren railway thence southerly along said right of way eighteen (18) feet to a point, thence easterly and at right angles with said street forty (40) feet more or less to a point in the northwesterly line of said street thence northerly along the line of said street eighteen (18) feet to the place of beginning. The description in reof being made according to survey and plot of L. Gorton, C. E., of J. W. Hilton's addition to Bradford, Pa., reserving however unto said first parties the oil and minerals of or and to said land as subject to the [illegible] and mineral lease and being same premises conveyed by A. J. Edgett and wife to J. J. O'Connor and John C. [illegible] by deed bearing date June 9th, 1891, and recorded in Deed Book No. 78 at page [illegible] McKean county records. Improved and having thereon one one-story frame building with basement.

ALSO—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford county of McKean and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Known as the northerly one-third (⅓) of lot number forty-six (46) of Whitney & Wheeler's east side building lots and being twenty five (25) feet front on Whitney Avenue or Tarport road and running back one hundred (100) feet to Cottage Row as per survey and plot of L. Gorton 1877-79 map of said survey being now on file in the Recorder's office at Smethport, Pa., in Deed Book [illegible] [illegible] it is expressly understood and agreed that the parties of the first part except and reserve nevertheless to themselves their heirs and assigns forever the three-fifths part of all petroleum or rock oil on or in the said premises. And the said party of the second part for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns hereby covenants to and with the said parties of the first part, their heirs and assigns, to deliver unto the said parties of the first part, their heirs and assigns the said three-fifths part of all the petroleum or rock oil which may at any time hereafter be obtained collected or produced from said land free of charge the delivery to take place as often as once in each month. And also to permit and allow the said parties of the first part, their heirs and assigns to have free ingress and egress to and from the premises for the purpose of removing the said oil when delivered as aforesaid, but the said parties of the first part, their heirs and assigns to have no right to enter upon the premises for any other purpose whatsoever. This being same premises conveyed by Charles Whitney and Samuel A. Wheeler and wife to J. J. O'Conner by deed bearing date November 6th, 1884, and recorded in Deed Book No. 44 at page 20 etc., of McKean county records. Improved and having thereon one two-story frame dwelling house with ell attached and usual outbuildings

Seized taken in execution and will be sold as the property of J. J. O'Conner and J. C. [illegible] at the suit of G. G. Fitzgibbon

M. H. Byles, plaintiff's attorney

8.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Hamlin township, McKean county and state of Pennsylvania, and parts of Warrants Nos. 2348 and 2360, being lot No. 32 of the survey of 1878. Beginning at the north corner of lot No. 31 in the southeast line of the Big Level road, thence by lot No. 31 south forty one degrees east one hundred ninety-two and five-tenths rods to the east corner thereof thence north sixty six degrees east thirty three rods to the south corner of lot No. 33, thence by lot No. 33 north thirty six degrees west to the west corner thereof thence by the southeast side of the Big Level road southwesterly fifty two and five-tenths rods to the place of beginning. Containing forty-eight acres more or less subject to reservations and conditions contained in deed from William Haskill and wife to Charles Johnson recorded in Deed Book No. 30 page 33 etc., records of McKean county to which reference is made where the same will fully appear. Improved and having thereon one two-story frame house with ell attached, one young orchard, one small barn and usual outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Charles Johnson, defendant, and William Johnson, terre tenant, at the suit of William Haskill

Jno. N. Apple, plaintiff's attorney

9.

Defendant's interest in all the following described land situate in the township of Annin, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the north corner of lot No. ——, conveyed to John P. Evans by Keating Company, thence south 81 rods to a post corner, thence west 44 rods to a post corner, thence north eight degrees west 85 rods to the centre of the road on north line of said lot, thence east 13.4 rods to the place of beginning. Containing three acres and twenty-three square rods, strict measure, and parts of Warrants Nos. 3447 and 3413. Under good state of cultivation, good fruit orchard, and having erected thereon stone foundation for dwelling house.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Albert W. Sage at the suit of Angeline Yenizer.

Samuel W Smith, plaintiff's attorney.

10.

Defendant's interest in all that tract of land situate in the township of Lewis, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a beech the southeast of lot No. 173, thence north forty five and five tenths perches (45.5) to a post thence east one hundred and seventy one (171) perches to a post, thence south one hundred and eight (108) perches to a post; thence west one hundred and forty-five (145) perches to a beech; thence north sixty one and five-tenths (61.5) perches to a beech; thence twenty-six (26) perches to the place of beginning. Containing one hundred and six (106) acres, being lot number one hundred and forty nine (149) of the allotment of Keating lands in said township and part of Warrant number two hundred and eleven (211) being the same land deeded to V. Perry Carter and John J. Roberts by N. M. Powell, sheriff of McKean county, December 18th 1873, and same land deeded to Alfonzo J. North by V. Perry Carter and John J. Roberts by deed dated Feb. 21st 1874 and recorded in Deed Book "L" at page 362 of McKean county records. Improved and having thereon one one and one-half story frame house with ell attached, one frame barn, one orchard and usual outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of A. J. North at the suit of C. H. Roberts, use of W. H. Walker & Co.

11.

Defendants interest in all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Bradford, County of McKean, and State of Pennsylvania, and described as follows to-wit: Commencing at an iron post on the south side of State street two hundred and thirty nine (239) feet more or less from the west corner of Centre street and at the northwest corner of lot deeded to Edward McQuiston and Ethel L. McQuiston, his wife; Thence south one hundred (100) feet, Thence west twenty-five (25) feet; Thence north one hundred (100) feet to State street; Thence east along State street twenty-five (25) feet to the place of beginning, containing twenty-five hundred square feet, and being part of the land conveyed to Augustus W. Newell by Daniel Kingsbury and wife by deed dated Dec. 16th, A. D. 1880, and recorded in the Recorder's office in said County of McKean, and being the same piece of land conveyed by said Augustus W. Newell and wife to Blaney D. Pate by deed dated Feb 1st, 1894, and recorded in the Recorder's office of McKean County, May 14th, 1894. Improved and having thereon one two story frame dwelling house, and a small barn or outhouse.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Blaney D. Pate at the suit of the Industrial Saving and Loan Company.

Brown & [illegible] plaintiff's attorneys.

12.

Defendant's interest in all those several lots of land situate in the township of Keating, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post in the north line of lot No. 15, the southeast corner of lot No. 16; thence north by west line of lot No. 16 fifty perches; thence west one hundred and fifteen and two-tenths perches; thence south fifty perches to the north line of lot No. 15; thence east one hundred and fifteen and two-tenths perches to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-six acres of land more or less, and being lot No. 16 of the Keating lands and part of Warrant No. 2093. Improved and having thereon one good young orchard.

ALSO—That other piece of land in said township, county and state, described as follows: Beginning at a post in the northeast corner of land conveyed to Timothy R. Robbins lot No. 16; thence west one hundred and seventeen and eight-tenths perches to a post in the northwest corner of lot No. 16, thence north sixty-eight and four-tenths perches to a post corner; thence east one hundred and seventeen perches to a post corner; thence south sixty-eight and four-tenths perches to the place of beginning. Containing fifty acres of land more or less, being the south half of lot No. 163 of the allotment of Keating lands in Keating township, and part of Warrant No. 2093. Improved and having thereon one old log house and a few fruit trees.

ALSO—All that certain piece or lot of land situate, lying and being in the township of Keating, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of land of Philip Reader lot No. 10, thence north (42 5) forty-two and five-tenths perches to a post in the south line of land of Holmes & Co., lot No. 11; thence east fifty (50) perches to a post corner; thence south twenty-seven (27) perches to a post corner, thence east twenty-seven and five-tenths (27.5) perches to the southeast corner of same lot No. 11, thence south fifteen and five-tenths (15.5) perches to a post the southwest corner of lot 231, contracted to Henry Reader; thence west seventy-seven and five-tenths (77 5) perches to the place of beginning. Containing sixteen (16) acres of land strict measure, be the same more or less, and being lot No. 231 of the Keating allotment of land in said township and part of Warrants Nos. 2227 and 2093. Unimproved.

Seized taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Wallace A. Robbins at the suit of H. W. Heinlein and C. W. Ellgendahl, use of H. W. Heinlein.

Jno. N. Apple, plaintiff's attorney.

13.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Otto township, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Being two lots of land, the first lot being the south part of the east half of the old Green lot, or that part of said Green lot lying south of the Knapps Creek highway, said Green lot being No. 193 on the Bingham allotment of lands, improved and having thereon one orchard, one frame barn, 40x50, one shed and usual out-buildings.

And lot second, beginning at a beech tree on the township line between Eldred and Otto Townships, at the southeast corner of the east half of the old Green lot; thence north along the said township line one hundred and eleven and four-tenths rods to a post corner; thence southeasterly one hundred and seventeen rods to a post corner, thence west forty-two rods to the place of beginning. Improved.

The above two tracts of land containing about sixty-five acres of land be the same more or less being the same premises conveyed to the said L. D. Bunker under the name of Leon Bunker by May Bunker by deed bearing date October 3rd, 1893, and recorded in deed book No. 64, at page 186, of McKean County records.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of L. D. Bunker, at the suit of Myra L. Smith, now by marriage Myra L. Card.

Sheridan Gorton plaintiff's attorney.

14.

Defendant's interest in all that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the Township of Bradford, County of McKean, and state of Pennsylvania, described as follows being five (5) acres of land on the east side of the highway leading from Custer City to Lewis Run and a short distance south of said Custer City and is bounded on the north by the lands of S. Jewett, on the east by the N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R. Co's land on the south by the lands of Martin, on the west by the public road or highway, together with all and singular the improvements, ways waters water courses, rights, liberties privileges hereditaments and appurtenances, all improved and having thereon 1 two story board house, 1 board barn, 1 board building used as a shingle mill and basket factory, 2 oil wells complete.

Seized taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Eldridge G. Head at the suit of the National Saving and Loan Association.

C. E. Judd plaintiff's attorney

15.

Defendant's interest in all those two certain leasehold estates hereinafter fully described situate in Bradford Township McKean County and state of Pennsylvania First. Beginning at public highway sixteen rods west on the south line of said farm, thence west 88 rods to tool house of said second party, thence north 31 rods to south line, thence east 88 rods, thence south to the place of beginning. The party of the first part (Lavina Turner) reserving 3 and ½ acres around what is known as VanWormer No. 1 Well. this being the same property conveyed to F. B. Scofield by Lavina Turner by articles of agreement dated the 16th day of April 1880, and recorded in the Recorder's office of McKean County in Mortgage book Vol 10 page 447 &c., and duly assigned to first party thereto by assignment recorded in Mortgage book Vol 10 page 449 said original lease being also recorded in deed book Vol 68 page 246 &c., said property having thereon four oil wells four engines, carpenter rigs, tubing casing tanks fittings, and fixtures on and about said lease and belonging thereto. Second, being lot No. 1 beginning at a stake in the S. E. corner of lot No. 215 Quintuple, being the N. W. corner of lot No. 1 running thence south 86 degrees east 810 feet to a stake; thence south 22 degrees west 700 feet to a bass-wood stake, thence north 86 degrees west 600 feet to a [illegible] north 1 degrees east 657 feet to the place of beginning containing 10 acres and 63-100 of an acre more or less. Also lot No. 2 beginning at a stake in the N. E. corner of lot No. 1 (Maple) being the N W corner of lot No. 2; thence south 86 degrees east 622 feet to a cherry stake, thence south 22 degrees west 700 feet to a [illegible] stake, thence north 86 degrees west 622 feet to a bass wood stake thence north 22 degrees east 700 feet to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres more or less both of said tracts containing 20 and 63 100 acres more or less, and having thereon six oil wells six engines, all carpenter rigs, tanks tubing, casing steam, gas and water lines, tools fittings and fixtures, ropes &c. on and about said property and belonging thereto, said property having been originally leased by Robert Gregg to A. Joseph McIntyre and J. D. White by lease duly recorded in the Recorder's office of McKean County in Mortgage book "F" page 621 also recorded in said county November 17th, 1887 in deed book 40, page 501 said property by sundry assignments being now vested in first party thereto, also all the royalty interest reserved in said 20 acres described as "second in the conveyance being the same interest conveyed by John Tonkin, Jr., and William Helm to James Galbraith, J. D. Briscoe and A. J. McIntyre by agreement dated the 1-11 day of May 1884, and by A. Leo Weil and Samuel Weil by assignment dated the 17th day of May, 1894 which said rights in the said royalty interests having become vested by virtue of sundry assignments from the grantors above named and their assigns in the first party thereto, together with all and singular the oil wells, buildings, improvements, woods ways, rights, liberties, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Fred A. Cowels at the suit of William H. Stowell and John Young, partners, doing business as Stowell & Young

F. W. Hastings plaintiff's attorney.

16.

Defendant's interest in all that certain lot of ground with improvements situate in the city of Bradford, in the county of McKean, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: North by land of Mrs. M. R. Smiles, east by land of Loyal Ward south by land of Loyal Ward west by [illegible] St. Lot 1"0x75 feet Improved and having thereon one one and one-half story frame dwelling house, one small barn and usual outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Samuel Hurston at the suit of the City of Bradford.

W. W. Brown plaintiff's attorney.

17.

Defendant's interest in all those two certain tracts or parcels of land situate in Foster, formerly Bradford township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded as follows. Commencing at a post and stone in the west line of lot No. 310 and running thence south 56 6-10 rods more or less to a pine stump at the S. W. corner of lot 3 0, thence east twenty rods more or less to a post and stones, thence north 13 degrees east forty (40) rods more or less to a post and stones, thence north 14 degrees west twenty rods more or less to a post and stones, thence west 31 7 10 rods more or less to the place of beginning, containing nine and 8-10 acres of land more or less, being the southwest part of lot No. 310 on Warrant No. 3497, and also all that other piece of land in same township and county and state, bounded as follows: Beginning at a pine stump at the S. W. corner of lot No. 310, thence south 13 minutes west 6 10 rods to a post in the north bounds of lot No. 329; thence east one hundred and twenty-five rods to a post, thence north 1 degree 10 minutes west 57 6-10 rods to a post at the southeast corner of lot No. 310, thence south 86 degrees 28 minutes west 123 2 10 rods to the point of beginning, containing 66 8-10 acres of land to be the same more or less, excepting, however, from the premises last above described 22 2 10 acres heretofore conveyed, together with all oil wells, rigs tanks, engines, boilers, pipes, fittings, fixtures, machinery and appurtenances situated thereon and thereunto belonging. Together with 19 oil wells, 2 20-horsepower boilers, 10 engines, 1 250-barrel tank

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Charles E. Parks and Robert T. Hazzard at the suit of Charles E. Parks, guardian of Geo. S. Parks.

F. W. Hastings, plaintiff's attorney.

18.

Defendant's interest in all of that certain piece parcel or tract of land, situate in the county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows. Beginning at a post the southeast corner of land contracted to James Dunn, Jr., lot No. 319; thence south 71 6 perches to a post corner of lot No. 344; thence west 41 2 perches to a post the southeast corner of lot No. 345, thence north 49 degrees west 40 perches to a hemlock corner; thence north 6 degrees west 43.6 perches to a post corner; thence east 74 1 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 39 1 acres of land strict measure be the same more or less, and being lot No. 377 of the allotment of the lands of Hamlin, Hamlin and Forrest in Annin township and part of Warrant No. 2222. Being the same land conveyed to Charles L. Bellows by Hamlin, Hamlin and Forrest by deed bearing date September 4th, 1857, and recorded in Deed Book No. 41, page 171, &c. Unimproved.

ALSO—All that certain tract of land situate in the county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a hemlock the southwest corner of land conveyed to William Simar, lot No. 210; thence east 40 perches to a post the southeast corner of the same; thence south 23 perches to a post corner, thence west 20 4 perches to a post the northwest corner of lot No. 162; thence north 4.6 perches to a post the northeast corner of lot No. 162; thence west 19 6 perches to a beech the southeast corner of lot No. 300, thence north 47.3 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 15 7 acres of land, strict measure be the same more or less, and being lot No. 374 of the allotment of the lands of Hamlin, Hamlin and Forrest in Annin township and part of Warrant 2218, and being the same land conveyed to Charles L. Bellows by Hamlin, Hamlin and Forrest by deed bearing date September 4th, A. D. 1857, and recorded in Deed Book No. 41, page 171, &c. Unimproved.

ALSO—All that parcel of land situate in the township of Annin, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post the southwest corner of land conveyed to William Simar, lot No. 209 Annin; thence east 80 perches to the southeast corner of the same; thence south [illegible] perches to the southeast corner of lot No. 161; thence west 80 perches to the southwest corner of the same, thence north 80 perches to the northwest corner of same; thence west 20 perches to northwest corner of same; thence south 7.4 perches to the northeast corner of lot No. 266; thence west 40 perches to the northwest corner of same; thence south 22 perches to the southwest corner of same; thence west 20 perches to the southeast corner of lot No. 204; thence north 109 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 109 acres of land, being lot No. 207 and part of Warrant 2456, being the same land conveyed to Charles L. Bellows by William V. Keating, John M. Keating and Percy Keating by their attorney, Byron D. Hamlin, by contract dated November 24, 1861. Improved and having thereon one one and one-half story frame dwelling house, two frame barns with basement, one frame hay barn, one well of water, and thirty-six fruit trees.

ALSO—All of that certain parcel of land situate in Liberty township, county of McKean and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post corner in the center of the public road leading down the Allegany river on the east side from Port Allegany to Olean at a point where said public road intersects the division line dividing the lands of John C. Backus and Alvah M. Lillibridge; thence south 27 degrees east along centre of said road ten perches to a post corner; thence south 61½ degrees west 26 perches to a post corner in the Warrant line; thence north 25 degrees west ten perches to a post corner; thence north 61½ degrees east 26 perches to the centre of said road and the place of beginning, containing one and five-eighths (1⅝) acres of land, strict measure be the same more or less, and being the same premises conveyed to Charles L. Bellows by Seth M. Bullis and Mary, his wife, by deed bearing date June 20th, 1882, and recorded in Deed Book Vol. 32, page 537, &c. Being improved and having thereon one two-story frame dwelling house with three wings, one frame barn with three wings, one corn house, 40 fruit trees, one well of water, and cistern fifty barrels capacity and usual outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Charles L. Bellows at the suit of Dalrymple, Hard & Co

C. W. Catlin, plaintiff's attorney.

19.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece parcel of land situate in the Borough of Port Allegany, County of McKean, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a post standing in the east line of alley standing north 60 degrees east 12 feet from the southeast corner of lot conveyed to B. C. Gallup by A. S. Arnold and wife by deed bearing date June 26th, 1877; thence by the east line of said alley north 30 degrees west 52 feet to a post corner; thence north 60 degrees east 122 feet to a post corner in the West line of Willow street, thence along said west line 30 degrees east 52 feet to a post corner; thence south 60 degrees west 112 feet to the place of beginning, containing 6364 square feet, be the same more or less, being the same land conveyed to W. R. Franklin by Manly T. Shurtz and wife by deed bearing date April 12th, A. D. 1892, and recorded in deed book No. 67, page 212 &c. Improved and having thereon one two story frame building occupied as a livery stable and dwelling house and usual out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of W. R. Franklin and Ida E. Franklin at the suit of E. B. Dolley.

C. W. Catlin, plaintiff's attorney.

20.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford, County of McKean, commonwealth of Pennsylvania, described as follows to-wit: being known as lot No. one hundred and one (101) of the Whitney and Wheeler east side building lots, as per survey and plot of L. Gorton 1877-79 map of said survey being now on file in the Recorder's office in Smethport, Pa., in deed book vol 23, at page 89, and lot being twenty-five (25) feet front on Cottage Row and running back therefrom one hundred (100) feet &c. Improved and having thereon one one story frame house and usual out-buildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Lois Ross at the suit of A. L. Wyman & Co

Ward & George plaintiff's attorneys.

21.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in Bradford Township, McKean County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: being a part of lot No 175 in Warrant No 3337, and beginning at a post in the northeast corner of lot No. 175, running thence south twenty-six and one fourth (26¼) rods; thence west and parallel to the north line of said lot No 175 one hundred fifty-six (156) rods to the west line of said lot; thence north on the west line of said lot twenty six and one-fourth (26¼) rods to the northwest corner of said lot No 175, and thence east along the north line of lot No. 175 one hundred fifty-six (156) rods to the place of beginning, containing twenty-five and six-tenths (25 6-10) acres, be the same more or less, and being the northern one-fourth (¼) of lot No 175, and being the same lands conveyed by Walter Griffith Esq. High Sheriff of McKean County to E. H. Whitehead, by sheriff's deed dated the 26th day of Feb., 1881 and acknowledged in open Court, the 28th day of Feb., 1881, and recorded in the Recorder's office of McKean County, Pa., in deed book vol 61 page 477 to which reference is here made, and by the said Whitehead conveyed to the said John A Turner by deed of even date herewith together with ten (10) oil wells, with carpenter rigs complete ten (10) engines, two (2) boilers, all tubing, casing sucker rods, steam gas and water lines, tankage, connections, fittings etc., now situate upon said property and to the same belonging.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of John A. Turner at the suit of William Chambers

M. Sullivan plaintiff's attorney.

22.

Defendant's interest in all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Bradford township, McKean county and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post and stones three and five-tenths (3 5-10) rods [illegible] containing seventeen and seven-tenths (17 7-10) acres and deeded by Dan'l Kingsbury and wife to Mary E. Abbott June 18th, 1883, and recorded in Deed Book "F" page 421, &c., thence west one hundred and thirty-three and two-tenths (133 2 10) rods more or less to a beech; thence north one hundred and forty-four and nine-tenths (144 9-10) rods more or less to a post and stones at the southwest corner of lot No. 467, thence east one hundred nineteen (119) rods more or less to a post and stones at [illegible]

[illegible]

C. E. Judd, plaintiff's attorney.

J. A. WALKER, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., May 10, 1895.

Spring AND SUMMER MILLINERY.

I have received and am receiving my SPRING and SUMMER stock of fine MILLINERY. Call and inspect goods and get prices.

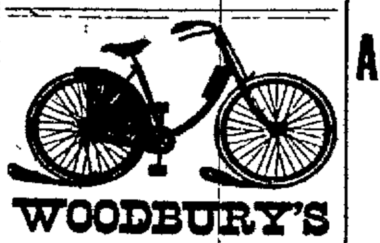
An elegant line of LATEST STYLES now on display.

MRS. J. W. REILLY,
SMETHPORT, PA.

H. C. WELLS,
DRUGGIST AND PHARMACIST,
OPERA HOUSE BLOCK,
Smethport, Pa.,
DEALER IN PURE
Drugs and Chemicals,
Trusses & Surgical Appliances.

Cloth and Paper Bound Books worth 50 cts. 15c. You should see them. They're sure to please.

STATIONERY, FINE PERFUMERY,
Imported and Domestic Cigars.
Prescriptions carefully compounded.
Public Telephone to all Points.



WOODBURY'S
OLD RELIABLE
Bicycle Headqr's,
REPAIR SHOP &
RIDING SCHOOL.
Purchases taught Free.
46 Mechanic Street, Bradford, Pa.

STADEL BROS'
New United Shows
—AND—
Trained Animal Exhibition.

SMETHPORT,
TUESDAY,
MAY 21st.

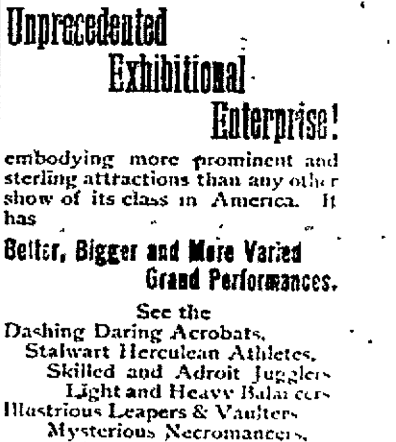
Doors open, afternoon at one and evening at seven o'clock.

Admission 25 Cts.

Children under 9 years of age to afternoon show, 15 cents.

A Special Grand Free Show

Will be given on the show ground immediately after the grand street parade, introducing some novel and startling performances to which all are invited —FREE.—



This show has everything, new, up to date, and contains Many Famous Foreign Novel Acts never before introduced on the American continent, forming an altogether Unprecedented Exhibitional Enterprise! embodying more prominent and sterling attractions than any other show of its class in America. It has Better, Bigger and More Varied Grand Performances.

See the
Dashing Daring Acrobats,
Stalwart Herculean Athletes,
Skilled and Adroit Jugglers
Light and Heavy Balancers
Illustrious Leapers & Vaulters
Mysterious Necromancers,
Phenomenal Trapezists,
Merry, Mirthful Clowns,
Lithe and Sinuous Contortionists
Phenomenal High Wire Artists
Adroit and Wonderful Postures,
Iron Jawed Men and Women,
Extraordinary Horizontal Bar Artists
Standard Thoroughbred Horses,
Beautiful and Elegant Ponies.

A great many other meritorious and strange acts and performances that want of space in a newspaper advertisement precludes the possibility of enumerating. It is emphatically the most varied, most popular and best equipped show before the public. There is absolutely nothing that is interesting, attractive but what will be presented under our spacious canvass.

REMEMBER THE DAY AND DATE.
One Day Only
AT EACH PLACE.
MT. JEWETT,
MONDAY, MAY 20.

Admission 25 Cts.

Children under 9 years of age to afternoon entertainment 15 cents.

F. G. LINDHOLM & CO.

The public is cordially invited to call and get prices on our [illegible] stock of fine goods.

NEW THIS WEEK.

STRAW HATS,
HAMMOCKS,
MACKINTOSHES,
NECKWEAR,
SHOES.

Attention, Bark Peelers!

You can find at our Store everything in Camp Supplies. Prices never so low.

F. G. LINDHOLM & CO.

[illegible] Main St., Smethport, Pa.

IKE SIMONS,

[illegible] MAIN STREET,
Bradford, - Penn'a.

We have all the late novelties in Hats and Furnishing Goods for Spring and Summer, ready for your inspection. Remember we are sole agents for the celebrated DUNLAP Hats and KNOX Hats, the two leading styles in the United States.

Strictly one Low Price for Everybody.

IKE SIMONS.

Mention the *Miner* when writing or calling.

McKean County Miner.

[illegible] at Smethport as second class matter.

Smethport Pa. May 17, 1895

LOCAL NOTICES.

WANTED—Good printer wants situation. Address J. J. Mundy, [illegible] St. Philadelphia, Pa.

[illegible] at [illegible]

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures [illegible] piles. A. W. Colegrove.

[illegible] constantly on hand at Mrs. [illegible] McIntire.

Although the weather has been quite [illegible] the green vegetables are still being [illegible] at the bakery.

You will be surprised at the moderate [illegible] asked for early fruit and vegetables [illegible] bakery. Call and see [illegible] yours.

WANTED—Two coat makers at once. [illegible] John Miller, tailor, Smethport.

[illegible] A brown curly [illegible] about 25 pounds, and answers [illegible] curly. Return to D. McK[illegible], State Line Mills, Pa.

[illegible] house for sale with modern [illegible] acre and a half [illegible] garden. Inquire of A. B. [illegible] Coudersport, or at this office.

[illegible] DeWitt's Little [illegible] reliable remedy [illegible] constipation, dyspepsia and liver complaints. A. W. Colegrove.

Notice is hereby given to John Mor[illegible] that the buggy wagon he left at [illegible] year ago for repairs [illegible] According to law [illegible] forward and pays the re[illegible] said wagon.
S. S. WASHBURN.
[illegible] May 10 1895.

Notice.

[illegible] a year's standing not [illegible] sixty days, will be placed [illegible] of an attorney for collection.
DR. PERRY CHADWICK.
Smethport, Pa., May 1, 1895.

Bicycles.

Notwithstanding the many inducements [illegible] by other agencies, in large [illegible] our Ramblers are sold at $100 [illegible] their make. The above statement [illegible]. Don't fail to see the Ramblers before making your purchase. One of the greatest features is the great [illegible] tires. F. C. PIERCE, Agent.

[illegible] Richardson, of Jefferson City, Mo., Chief Enrolling force 38th general assembly of Missouri, writes: I wish to testify to the merits of One Minute Cough Cure. When other so-called cures failed, I obtained almost instant relief and a speedy cure by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. A. W. Colegrove.

[illegible] will open, June 1st, a kindergarten [illegible] to continue 3 months. Will take [illegible] pupils. Also connected with [illegible] will be an industrial school for [illegible] folks, who will be instructed in [illegible] sewing and knitting. Reading taught by the Pollard system. For [illegible] inquire of

MARY A. BOGSCH.

AL AND GENERAL.

[illegible] Weeds.

[illegible] circus next week.

[illegible] circus next Tuesday.

[illegible] our new story on first page.

Additional legal advertising on the [illegible].

This week's frost has killed all the [illegible].

Mercury was down to 23 degrees on Thursday morning.

Mrs. F. L. Holmes purchased a very fine [illegible] bicycle last week.

This week's weather knocked the straw hat out in the first round.

Nothing but modern job printing turned out at the MINER office.

Don't forget the circus next week Tuesday afternoon and evening.

There was a scarcity of gas in many places in town on Sunday morning.

Holmes & Gilfillan are fast getting settled in their new quarters on Mechanic street.

—Will the coming woman have any better success in finding the key-hole when she comes home late at night than the men do at the present time.

—Smethport was in the hands of the hotel men on Monday last.

—Read the advertising columns of the MINER, and when making purchases refer to this paper.

—It is thought by many that fruit was almost totally destroyed by the frost on Sunday night.

—Dr. Houseworth, the optician, will be here next week Friday. Read notice on fourth page.

—Attention is called to the kindergarten local adv. of Mrs. Mary Bogsch in another column.

—Our warm spell took a sudden cold on Saturday last, and overcoats were in good demand on Sunday.

—Herman Sasse is busily engaged in decorating the outside of John Forrest's residence with paint.

—Owing to the sheriff's sales this week our second page is somewhat limited as regards reading matter.

—The MINER is proving to be the best advertising medium in the county, by reason of its large circulation.

—Several landscape sketches by Sheriff Walker appears in some of the other columns of the MINER this week.

—The little daughter of R. A. Husong of Eldred, aged about seven years, died on Monday morning of rheumatism.

—The interior of Jones & Church's meat market has been brightened by a liberal application of paint and paper.

—At St. Luke's church on Ascension day, 23d inst., there will be services at 7.30 and 10.30 a. m. and at 7.45 p. m.

—The strike in the Austin mills was ended last Thursday week by the men going to work at an advance of ten per cent.

—All Odd Fellows are requested to meet at I. O. O. F. hall Thursday, May 30, at 10 a. m. for the purpose of taking part in Memorial day exercises.

—There was a mistake made in the size of the trout in A. B. Armstrong's window in last week's MINER. It should have read 17 inches in length and 29 ounces in weight.

—Mr. Thomas Purtell has opened a bicycle riding school on Water street. He refers, by permission, to John F. Rooney. Horse shoe nails extracted without extra charge.

—Misses Addie Walters and Nellie Roberts will represent the Smethport League at the district convention of the Epworth League which will be held in Olean, May 24 to 26.

—Jonathan Colegrove has recently purchased a very nobby delivery wagon. The wagon shows the neatness and taste of the proprietor. He does business with a "get there, Eli" rush.

—The difference of a single letter in a word cost Sheriff Elliott, of Elk county, $25 recently. Instead of using a line as all true sportsmen should, he used lime in a stream near Driftwood.

—Last Friday the [illegible] room of the [illegible] was repaper[ed] and it now presents a very attractive appearance. It is, without doubt, the handsomest room for the purpose anywhere in this section.

—Straw hats and spring suits were at a premium last week, but this week there were no sales reported and a poor unfortunate who was caught with a straw hat was unmercifully guyed wherever seen.

—John E. Chadwick, formerly of Emporium, was married April 23d, to Mrs. Emma Dilly, of Jefferson Centre, Centre Butler Co., Pa. Mr. Chadwick is a resident of Smethport.—Friendship *Register*.

—Jones & Church are making extensive improvements in the rooms formerly occupied by J. H. Williams as a butcher shop. Labor and paper and a general overhauling makes a wonderful change for the better.

—Mrs. Hannah Steele, a former resident of Port Allegany, was laid at rest in the Stony Fork cemetery on May 1st. She died at the age of 88 years. She was married in 1824 to James Steele, and they lived together for over 70 years.

—About the only way to tell the counterfeit postage stamps from the genuine article manufactured by the Government is to moisten the gum and place the same on the upper right hand corner of the envelope. If it sticks it is a counterfeit.—*Ex.*

—This week we were shown a photograph consisting of a mother and eleven negro urchins. Since the negative was taken two more have been added, making thirteen in all. The children are in the [illegible] of one of Marvel's works, "Japeth in Search of His Father."

—A game of ball was played at Port Allegany last Saturday afternoon between their club and the Oaks of this place. It resulted in a score of 21 to 13 in favor of Port. This was the first game of the season for the Oaks, and as they held the opposition down to 8 scores after the first inning, they have every reason to feel encouraged.

—Last week we neglected to make mention in our local columns of the enlarged advertisement of Ford's popular Red Front clothing house, of Olean. This well-known establishment has made a big reduction in the price of summer clothing. In fact the prices have been cut in two. If you need anything in the line of clothing, now is the time to buy.

—A man in a western town hanged himself to a bed-post by his suspenders. The coroner's jury were some time in coming to a decision in the case, but the foreman, who was a native of Erin, finally announced that the "deceased came to his death by coming home drunk and mistaking himself for his pants."

—That Smethport is sadly in need of street lamps is admitted on all sides, and as the council does not see fit to provide them, why would it not be a good idea for some of our enterprising citizens to organize a stock company and put in an electric light plant. Other near-by towns are taking steps in that direction, why not Smethport.

—Rev. C. V. Wilson, D. D., of Olean, who is to deliver the Memorial Day oration, is one of the best-known speakers in western New York, and has made several memorial addresses in this section. A few years ago the writer was fortunate in hearing Dr. Wilson at Coudersport, where he took his audience by storm, and we think the committee extremely fortunate in securing the services of so able an orator.

—Last Sunday night this section was visited by one of the most severe frosts ever known here at this season of the year. On Saturday the mercury stood at 86 degrees in the shade, and on Monday it was 23 degrees, a fall of 63 degrees. This sudden change destroyed all the fruit and all vegetation that had made a start. Along the streams the frost seems to have been more severe than on the hill sides. The cold wave seems to have been general throughout the northern states. This will be a sad blow to the farmers, as the weather had been exceptionally fine for doing spring work, and gardens and a great deal of farm produce was well advanced in many places.

—Hickory Pratt got his nose broken last Thursday while playing ball.

—John Hungerford will take possession of his new home some time next week.

—District Attorney Gorton will deliver the Decoration Day oration at Friendship this year.

—The small boy is very busy these days in saving up his pennies in order to see the circus.

—Paul, the little son of Rev. E. E. Helms, has been sick all the week at the residence of Frank Richmond, with croup, tonsilitis and fever.

—A barn belonging to Mr. Rickle, above Colegrove, was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night and a team of horses were burned, as well as hay and some farming utensils.

—The Kane *Republican* says that F. W. McBride was found in his room, at the Hotel La Mont, overcome by escaping gas. Physicians were called and the proper restoratives were applied and the victim was soon brought to his senses.

—Mart Armstrong claims that the man who carried a skip of bees from East Smethport to Farmers Valley last summer on a bicycle has been laid in the shade by a boy this week who brought a cow from Farmers Valley on a bicycle.

—We are in receipt of some wedding cake presented by Mr. James B. Bray and wife, nee Eunice M. Young, of Coryville, whose marriage took place at the residence of Mrs. Ocella Young at Farmers Valley on Wednesday, May 15th. May their wedded life be as sweet as the cake presented.

—One day last week as "Tombstone Harry" was making the descent from this office to Main street on his bicycle he slipped an eccentric and fell in a very large heap. No damage was done, however, and he picked himself up and rode down the street looking neither to the right or left.

—A. W. Colegrove has placed glass fronts in the counters in his drug store which greatly enhances the beauty and arrangements of that delightful place of business. And with the ever popular Will Ostrander as master of ceremonies there is no reason why this should not be a decided success. "De world do move."

—The Bradford Sunday *Herald* says: The poor department of this city expended for the relief of the poor last year $3,-[illegible] 19. Of this amount the McKean county poor house received $325 22, for care of patients in City Hospital at Warren, $861 50, Bradford City Hospital, $157 12. The remainder was expended for board, groceries, meat, gas, house rent, medicine and physicians' fees.

—On our editorial page will be found a statement made by James A. McKean, in which that gentleman replies to the reports which have been circulated about his being a party to a deal in a former convention, and which he emphatically denies. We regret that our townsman has been subjected to the attacks which he alleges has been made, and only ask in his behalf, as on the part of all others seeking nomination, that everybody may receive fair play.

—The Smethport Hose Company will give a grand ball at the Opera House on June 14th, the proceeds to be devoted to paying up the indebtedness on the new uniforms. We believe our people will feel that it is a duty they owe the company to assist in making this affair a success. Remember the firemen are always ready night and day to defend your property from the ravages of fire, and do so voluntarily. Help the boys pay for their uniforms and thus encourage them in their noble efforts.

—Gifford's upper mill is now for sale at a very low figure and reasonable time. Here is an opportunity for some enterprising person to start a heading factory or kind of wood mill. Most of the machinery remains in the building, and there could be no more desirable place obtained in this section for such a purpose. We call upon our enterprising business men to lend all the assistance in their power to push this matter to a successful issue, for if this business is started it will aid everybody in town as well as the surrounding country. The railroad track running by the mill gives excellent opportunity for shipping the material on both roads.

—Last Saturday Mr. Boyer drove his pair of colts into town and tied them to a post in front of W. D. Gallup's store. The off one became uneasy and stepped ahead, the heavy hitching strap holding [illegible] colt back, which turned both [illegible] upon the walk. They kept going around until the near horse fell down, breaking a whiffle tree and both check straps, but doing no further damage, as [illegible] who were near rushed up and caught them, thus avoiding a serious runaway. While we have two good and commodious livery stables it would be much safer, and by far the most economical plan, to [put] your horses in the stables and thus save your own animals as well as others from a runaway.

—In North Bingham, Potter Co., on Tuesday morning the boiler in the mill belonging to Messrs. Peck, Haskill & [illegible] exploded with terrible effect, killing five men and fatally wounding three others. The names of the dead are Claude English, James Mowers, Lyman [illegible] Perry, Eugene Merrick and Charles Grover. The fatally injured are Caleb Converse, John De Grote and Aldelbert Grkily. O. Johnston was also badly injured. All of the men were married except De Grote. It is supposed the explosion was caused by the water getting too low in the boiler. The loss to the mill owners will be about $3 000. Most of the unfortunates were well known to us and were good citizens. Fayette Lewis, a former owner of the mill, was so unfortunate as to fall on a circular saw while in motion and thus lost his life. This occured about seven years ago.

—When you meet with a man or a woman who has met with misfortune, do not turn a cold shoulder and thus send them on the downward grade, but treat them with kindness and thus help them up the grade of reform. People who are well-to-do in this world's goods little realize how much good a kind word does to warm the hearts of the poor unfortunates who are rapidly sliding down the scale that leads them into the mire of despondency and finally to self-destruction. If everyone who can would make an effort in this line when they meet a poor wanderer, how many might be saved from self-destruction. As the Psalmist says, "A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver." So with the poor weak ones who have let their appetites and passions get control of them. We little know how much a word of sympathy may accomplish in redeeming a poor discouraged human being. When unnoticed by anyone despondency will take possession, and drink will be the inevitable result; but if checked by kind words and tender sympathy they might be redeemed and restored to their proper sphere in society.

La Grippe is here again with all of its old time vigor. One Minute Cough Cure is a reliable remedy. It cures and cures quickly. A. W. Colegrove.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL NOTES.

We would deem it a favor if those having friends visiting in this place would notify us by postal or by leaving a notice at this office.

Mrs. A. B. Walker went to Bradford on Friday.

F. L. Holmes had business at Ormsby on Monday.

Hon. H. H. North was in town the first of the week.

Hon. George Griffiths drove over from Kane on Monday.

W. J. Milliken, of Bradford, brightened our sanctum on Monday.

Fred Gallup and John Mullin drove to Bradford on Tuesday.

Judge Brown, of Eldred, came up on the early train Tuesday.

A. G. Crawford paid Olean a visit the early part of the week.

Misses Lena Wright and Anna Nourse were in Eldred last Friday.

Dwight Waller visited relatives and friends in town on Tuesday.

J. G. Williams has his boarding house running full blast at Ormsby.

A. P. Huey, of Kane, was at the Wright House on Wednesday.

W. W. Tate, of Supreme Court cigar fame, was in town over Sunday.

Thomas Clark came over from Austin on Tuesday returning Wednesday.

Mrs. D. C. Young and daughter, Lois, visited Olean friends over Sunday.

Landlord Goodenough and Z. Wilson, of Duke Centre, were here on Monday.

Carlton Sprague left Tuesday morning to visit an uncle in San Antonio, Texas.

S. W. Smith, of Port Allegany, had business in the county seat the first of the week.

Dr. O. B. Comfort, of Bradford, was in town on Sunday, a guest of the Wright House.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto George, of Farmers Valley, did not forget the MINER on Wednesday.

W. Z. Georgia, of State Line Mills, paid a business visit to the hub on Wednesday.

Harry Backus and Mrs. Sam Townsend visited Port Allegany friends last Saturday.

Eugene McElwaine, a hustling business man of Bradford, visited the hub on Wednesday.

Ex-Judge Henry Hamlin, a Smethport banker, spent Wednesday in Kane.—Kane *Leader*.

Miss Mary Grigsby returned home Monday from a few days' visit with Olean friends.

Mrs. S. B. Strong returned to her home at East Smethport last Monday from Syracuse, N. Y.

R. B. Ford and W. F. Andrews, two of Clarendon's prominent citizens, attended court on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warley Gifford returned from Philadelphia on Saturday after a four weeks' sojourn.

F. B. Granteer, one of the solid men of Newerf, called Wednesday with the usual result. Come again.

Rev. J. W. Sanborn exchanged pulpits with Rev. Remington, of Colegrove, on Sunday morning last.

C. C. Parson, proprietor of Parsons Mineral Sanitarium at Gardeau, was a pleasant caller on Tuesday.

F. L. Peck, of [illegible], superintendent of the Lackawanna Lumber Co., was in town on business Tuesday.

Robert King and Charles McK[illegible] visited [illegible] tracts in Potter county during the week.

D. W. Wright, of Rew City, was in town the first of the week, and favored the MINER with a pleasant call.

R. K. Donovan, John Fertig, H. H. [illegible] and Thomas [illegible], all of Kane, were at the hub Monday.

C. S. King, with his daughter and Miss [illegible] of the [illegible] at Port Allegany, visited the hub on Monday.

A. W. Boyd and Miss Blanch Payne, of Bradford, came over Sunday to visit James Payne, of Wells' drug store.

~~Misses Frank Keene and Cliff~~ Burlingame, of Smethport, are visiting Mrs. Jennie McElroy of this city.—*Era*.

Mr. and Mrs. Mullin, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Berry, of Bradford, were in town during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lambert, of Port Allegany, drove over to the hub on Monday. Mr. Lambert made us a pleasant call.

Mrs. J. C. Griffith, Miss Mabel Hover and H. Stacy, of Little Valley, N. Y., were guests of R. K. Griffith and family [illegible].

B. D. Colegrove and August Jackson, two of Colegrove's well-to-do citizens, called on Monday, [illegible] moving the [illegible] of [illegible] another notch.

Fathers Galligan, of Smethport, and [illegible], of Eldred, were guests from Monday evening till Tuesday afternoon, this week, of Rev. A. B. Meehan.—Potter *Populist*.

W. A. Foster, of Lewis Run, one of McKean county's staunch Republicans, [illegible] of Mayor Hopkins, called Tuesday and became one of the MINER'S subscribers.

James A. Kavanaugh, one of the pleasant and gentlemanly attaches of the Kane *Leader*, was a pleasant caller at the MINER office during his visit with friends in town this week.

Mrs. Cornforth, who has been attending her mother, Mrs. L. I. Medberry, during her late illness, left on Tuesday for her [illegible] in [illegible], Kan. Mrs. Medbury is now convalescent.

Frank Collins, one of Bradford's most genial bust[illegible], made us a pleasant call last Monday. Mr. Collins is a man possessed of the push and energy that makes matters move.

H. W. Rubin and family went to Rochester on Saturday last to attend the wedding of Abe Warshofsky. Mr. Rubin returned on Tuesday. Mrs. Rubin remaining to visit a few days.

Miss Anna Nourse left on Wednesday afternoon for her home in Fredonia, N. Y. Miss Nourse has won her way into the hearts of many Smethport people who will long to welcome her return.

Last Tuesday we had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Shaffer and son, of Kane, both attorneys at law, recently moved from Kansas. Mr. Shaffer formerly practiced law in Huntingdon county, this state. They are both of good address and will be heard from at the court of justice in McKean county.

Abe Warshofsky was married to Miss Julia Goldring, of Rochester, in that city on Sunday evening last. The happy couple are taking a wedding trip, but on their return will commence house keeping in Ed. Richmond's residence. The MINER tenders congratulations.

The amateur whist club closed their series of games at the residence of Judge Morrison on Wednesday night, Mrs. E. L. Keenan receiving a beautiful silver sugar spoon and W. D. Gallup a handsome book, the above two having the highest score of the members.

Editor Gould and Prof. Myers, of Eldred, rode their wheels to town last Saturday forenoon. Mr. Gould, in rushing the professor, (who, by the way, is a beginner) started a copious shower of perspiration on himself, and he found it necessary to purchase a new bandanna. But they hugely enjoyed the trip.

Rev. E. E. Helms was in Coudersport over Sunday, preaching twice to large audiences. Mr. Helms was highly delighted with his trip. We had the pleasure of a couple of hours' travel with him, and were pleasantly entertained in listening to his description of interesting events and incidents in his southern trip.

Ellen R. Spragge, M. D., has been in town during the week in the interest of the Children's Home, at Randolph, N. Y., an undenominational institution and without any distinct local territory. Last year 234 children were benefited at this home, some of whom were from Pennsylvania. She will speak in the Baptist church next Sunday morning in behalf of the home.

D. H. Bowman, Pub. *Enquirer*, of Bremen, Ind., writes, Last week our little girl baby, the only one we have, was taken sick with croup. After two Doctors failed to give relief and life was hanging on a mere thread we tried One Minute Cough Cure and its life was saved. A. W. Colegrove.

Sick Headache, constipation and indigestion are quickly cured by DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. A. W. Colegrove.

A Musical Event.

The Baptist concert given last Tuesday night was very much enjoyed by a good sized audience of music-loving people. Miss Eleanor Long, of Bradford, captured the hearts of all present by her vocal solo "Queen of the night." Miss Anna Nourse none the less so by her recitation of "The Foxes' Tails." The Ladies Quartette was well received. Mrs. Harry Wells' piano solo was very sweet and won hearty and merited applause. The violin duett by Miss Emma Simon and Master Roswell Sartwell was well executed for such young artists and gave great promise of the future. Miss Long's solo, "The Broken Pitcher," gave great satisfaction to the young ladies and gentlemen present, and evidently showed that they would not object to assisting in breaking a pitcher themselves. Lack of space will not permit us to go into a general detail of the concert, but on the whole, having been only a few days in preparation, it was a very interesting and pleasing event, and speaks well for those who were instrumental in arranging the entertainment. After the concert a large portion of the audience stayed to partake of excellent ice cream, cake and coffee.

Lycoming's Centennial.

With the week commencing July 1st Lycoming county will hold her centennial celebration, which will be one of the most important events in the annals of that county. With all her wealth and wonderful resources, she is capable of commemorating her early settlement in a befitting manner, and McKean county should take part in the great celebration, as up to March 26th, 1804, McKean was part of old Lycoming. Below we give a short sketch of the territory comprising Lycoming county as it was on the 13th of April, 1795.

Lycoming was created out of territory taken from Northumberland, then the largest county in the state, and the act was signed by Governor Thomas Mifflin, at Philadelphia, April 13, 1795. The original boundary line was about as follows: Beginning near the mouth of White Deer creek, it extended westward to a point near Kittanning, on the Allegany river, thence up that stream to the mouth of Conewango Creek at Warren, thence up the creek to the New York line, thence eastward on the State line until it intersected the line of Luzerne county, near Athens, in Bradford county, thence southward on the line of Luzerne until it came within range of the Muncy hills, where it bore westward over these hills, and, crossing the river at what is now the Montgomery railroad bridge, descended the west side of the river to the place of beginning.

At that time more than three-fourths of his princely domain was practically an unexplored region—in fact, "a howling wilderness"—and contained only a trifle over 4,000 inhabitants. But advancement, improvement and civilization have been so great at the end of a century we find a population of about 600,000 within this territory.

If Lycoming came into existence with such an immense territory, she has in the course of years been shorn of fully three-fourths of it. In a word she has generously contributed, in whole or in part, to the formation of eighteen counties of the Commonwealth. The work of dismemberment commenced in 1800 and ended in 1861.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Court Proceedings.

Decisions on the license question will be handed down Monday May 20th.

There will be no change in the second election district of Lafayette township. Elections will be held at Big Shanty as heretofore.

John A. Gustafson was appointed guardian of Ida Malinda, Carl Allan and Henning [illegible].

In the matter of the estate of [illegible] M. Stearns, [illegible] Allen [illegible] [illegible] has been filed and a [illegible] according to law.

[illegible] W. D. Gallup and J. A. [illegible] appointed viewers of a [illegible] Well, in Sargent and [illegible] townships.

[illegible] has been filed fixing Tuesday, May [illegible] o'clock as a day of hearing the appeal of [illegible] A. Moore from the [illegible].

Frank R. Kelly vs. Sarah E. Kelly, [illegible] matrimonial [illegible] respondent.

[illegible] Yost [illegible] decree in divorce a vinculo matrimonii granted at costs [illegible] respondent.

Hand.

We would be pleased to have you call at our store for a free package of Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves, which we are distributing to all afflicted with dyspepsia and all blood, liver and kidney diseases. Bacon's Celery King is simply [illegible], wonders in building up worn-out constitutions, and is the grand specific for nervousness, sleeplessness, headache, and all derangements of the stomach, liver and kidneys. Samples free. Large size 50 and 25 cents at McCoy's drug store, Smethport. C. A. Anderson, Colegrove, S. W. Stickney, Newerf, J. C. Stull, Farmers Valley.

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First of the Season.

The W. N. Y. & P. Ry. will run their first excursion of the season from Smethport to Buffalo and Niagara Falls on Decoration Day, Thursday, May 30th. Train will leave Smethport at 9.19 a. m. Fare is $2 25 for the round trip, tickets good two days returning. On this day there will be many special attractions at Buffalo including the military street parade in the afternoon, the great Martin 25-mile bicycle road race in which there will be over 200 competitors, game of ball between the Buffalo and Toronto teams, and popular price concerts in the afternoon and evening at Music Hall by Sousa's Greatest American Military Band. Niagara Falls never looks prettier than early in the season when the foliage is fresh and green.

All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now an opportunity to try it free. Call on the advertised druggist and get a trial bottle, free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. F. B. Foster's Drugstore, also A. B. Armstrong's.

W. T. Sanford, Station Agent of Leeper, Clarion Co., Pa., writes: I can recommend One Minute Cough Cure as the best I ever used. It gave instant relief and a quick cure. A. W. Colegrove.

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The greatest Cloak Sale of the season. If you intend buying a cape you can buy them from $1 up to $15. Children's Jackets at $1 up to $3. Visit Marcus' store for any article in the Dry Goods line.

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AROUND THE COUNTY.

Interesting News From Various Localities Picked up by Our Regular Correspondents.

PORT ALLEGANY.

The Oaks of your city came over Saturday afternoon last and crossed bats with our local nine and at the close of the ninth innings the score stood 13 to 21 in favor of the Ports and it was not a very good day for them to play ball either. Andy Carlson was so sanguine of the Oaks winning the game that he dropped a "fiver" on the result. The genial Harry Backus was one of the umpires and his decision gave perfect satisfaction.

Elias Shurtz, whose serious illness was mentioned in our last letter, died on Monday last, aged 78 years. Mr. Shurtz was one of the pioneer settlers of McKean county and was a man respected by all. His funeral was held in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday, being largely attended, Rev. Arney delivered the funeral sermon.

The red house bridge at the upper end of the borough is being rebuilt by contractors King and Grover, and will soon be ready for use, an event which will be hailed with delight by many farmers living south, as well as by the traveling public.

Street Commissioner C. W. Wagner is doing some excellent work upon the streets, sluices and cross walks nowadays and his and his work shows conclusively that our "borough daddies" made no mistake in giving him the appointment.

Fred Gerwick, Jr., has secured the general agency for the computing scale and will soon be introducing it among Smethport grocers. Mr. Gerwick is fast losing the sight of his eyes and is worthy of the patronage of your best people.

Thos. R. Craft, of Coudersport, was greeting friends in town Saturday evening last. [illegible] is one of the many candidates for sheriff of Potter county, is a hale fellow, well met and very popular wherever known.

Little Christine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rose, of Mill st., celebrated the [illegible] anniversary of her birth on Monday afternoon surrounded by a large and happy gathering of her many friends.

Will Allen, of Olean, an old time resident of this place and an experienced butcher, has accepted a position in the market of Gerwick & Son. His family will remain in Olean for the present.

Eugene Hayden, a valued typo of the Coudersport Enterprise, drove to Port on Sunday. He was accompanied on his return trip by B. G. Bartle, who will assist on that ~~newspaper~~.

Stadel Bros. United shows were here on Thursday last and played to small houses. Their entertainment was neat and attractive and fully up to the average 25c shows.

Robert King, of Smethport, was circulating among his numerous friends in this place on Friday last.

Mrs. George Sheppard, of Palmerville, has been spending a few days with friends and relatives in town.

Thos. Burleson has accepted a position in the manufacturing establishment of Ventres Bros.

F. F. Cornell was at Coudersport on Saturday on a business mission.

F. I. Dalrymple had business in Buffalo the first of last week.

C. K. Bush, of Austin, had business here last Saturday.

CLERMONT.

Mrs. Geo. Supok, who has been sick and in destitute circumstances for some time, has been taken charge of by Mr. T. H. Ryan, supt. of the poor farm. Her condition is so low that he cannot remove her at present, but has furnished her a nurse until she recovers enough to be moved to the poor house.

Wm. Weidle, of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived in town one day this week to attend the wedding of his sister Minnie, which was to take place the 15th of this month, but was necessarily postponed, the groom being absent.

Mr. Curt Witherow, of Crosby, is building a new barber shop with a suite of bath rooms. When it is completed it will be a great improvement to the town.

There was quite an excitement in town over license, but it has quieted down to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lyman, of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Steinhauer.

The heavy frost on Sunday night caused a great deal of damage to fruit, etc., in this section.

J. C. Wainman, of Eldred, is in town looking after his lumber business.

COLEGROVE.

Mrs. W. Heinemann and family and Mrs. J. Berryman and family attended church in Smethport last Sunday.

Miss Agnes Scanlon has been confined to the house with sickness during the last week.

Mr. E. Olmstead has gone to Columbus, Penn., to attend the funeral of his father.

Arthur Berryman visited Ross Colegrove, of Smethport, the fore part of this week.

Miss Edna Sturns, of Washington, Penn., is visiting Mrs. B. Christley.

Fred Berryman spent the latter part of last week in Smethport.

Will Herzog spent Sunday with his parents in Smethport.

NORWICH

Mr. R. E. Burdick and wife visited the family of C. W. Dickinson several days last week. Ralph and C. W. took out 300 of the speckled beauties on Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Burdick had her first experience at trout fishing last Saturday. She caught eight very nice trout.

Snow fell here on the 12th inst., and on the 13th, at 4 30 a. m., the thermometer registered 15 below freezing.

Messrs. W. D. Gallup and J. W. Bouton and son spent Friday angling for trout in Potato creek.

Burdette Dickinson, the only bicyclist of Norwich, wheeled to Smethport on Monday.

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A few pairs of mens' Corduroy Pants 30 and 34 waist, worth $2 00, our price $1 50.

Boys' knee pants 10 cts, 3 pair for 25c.

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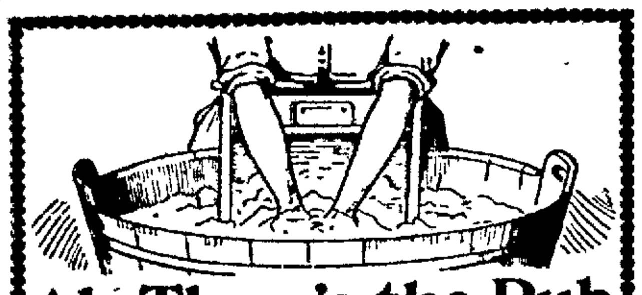

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Under them and shutting in the cash drawer there is the third door with its own lock and bolts. In this safe the size of the cash repository bears about the same relation to the size of the whole safe as a pumpkin seed does to the pumpkin. And it is not only burglar proof but fireproof—warranted, in fact, to stand for at least 75 hours the greatest amount of heat that any burning building could give it.

The making of a safe of this kind is a complicated and expensive operation. All the steel used comes to the form of plates from the works. After having the necessary screw holes bored in them they are heated to a high temperature and then tempered by suddenly immersing them in water. When they come out they are often a little twisted and warped, and have to be rolled cold and sometimes polished clean by a swiftly moving emery wheel. The noise of this operation is ear splitting and so rasping that a man with ordinary nerves can hardly endure it. When the plate is perfectly level it is transferred to another machine, where it is clamped tight, and an emery wheel shaves off the edges.

The plates are now put together, first one of hard steel, then one of wrought iron or soft steel, and so on until the necessary thickness is obtained. From the iron the safe receives its tenacious qualities—it cannot be cracked or broken as easily as steel, and the steel imparts a hardness that defies the burglar's drill. The screws are also made of combined steel and iron. Each of them is only long enough to reach through two plates, and the screws which join the third, fourth and fifth plates to the first are never directly under any other screws so that there is no chance for a burglar to bore down through a row of screws. The plates are also drawn very close together, for if any space was left between them a safe blower might succeed in getting his dynamite into it

Between the interior and exterior walls of the safe a large amount of hydraulic cement, combined with other ingredients usually according to a secret recipe is packed solidly. In case of fire the theory is that the water in the cement—about 43 per cent—will, owing to the heat of the outside covering become steam partially, at least, and be driven close to the inner wall. Here it will remain and furnish a blanket impervious to heat. All the bolts are cylindrical and from an inch up to two inches in diameter.

Combination locks are now used exclusively. The mechanism of most of them is extremely simple. In one lock there are a number of round brass disks or "tumblers," each pivoted at the center on a small shaft which runs through the safe door and connects with the knob. Each tumbler has a slit in it just the size of the steel arm which controls the bolts and reaching nearly back to the center. When all these slits are together and pointing in exactly the same direction the arm slips into them and the bolts can be thrown. But if the slit in a single one of the tumblers is even a thousandth of an inch out of line the arm will not slip back. The disks are set a short distance apart and small screws with big heads are fastened at random over them. As these strike together in turning the tumblers whirl, and a man might turn the lock knob a thousand years without once getting the slits in all the tumblers together. But the man who knows just how far to turn one way and then how far back again according to the combination numbers has no trouble at all.

The combination and numbers are easily changed by changing the screws in the disk. Many of the best safes and vaults are now being provided with time locks. Two and sometimes three clocks are inclosed in glass cases just inside of the safe door. When the door is locked no one can open it again, until the clock hands have traveled the set distance around the dial and touched a little trigger which releases the bolts. More than one clock is used, so that if one runs down the others will go on and perform their duty. In the big banks the vaults are closed about 5 o'clock in the evening and set to open a little before 9 o'clock in the morning. It is a general impression that an expert burglar can open a combination lock by listening to the clicking sounds, but dealers say it is not possible for any one to do it. If a safe owner forgets his combination, the safe has to be bored into. There is no other way of opening it.—Chicago Record.

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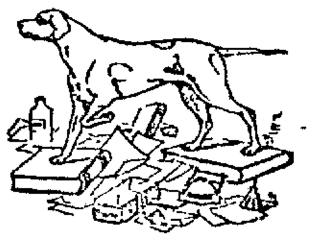

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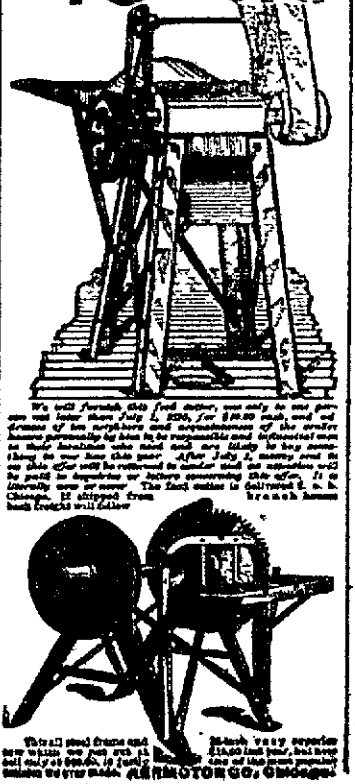
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BUFFALO MAIL...........3.31 P. M.

Train leaving Smethport at 3.31 p. m. connects at Olean with River Division for Allegany, Salamanca, Oil City and Pittsburg

For Clermont, Johnsonburg, and points south:

CLERMONT MAIL..........7 13 A. M.
CLERMONT ACCOMMOD'N......12 30 P. M.
LOCAL..........[illegible]

Clermont Mail connects through to Johnsonburg.

Get Time Tables giving full information from
A. L. WORDEN, Ticket Agent,
E. BELL, General Sup't,
J. A. FELLOWS, Gen. Pass'r & T'kt Agent,
BUFFALO, N. Y.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE. In effect Nov. 25th 1894.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD.

[illegible] a. m.—Train 4, daily except Sunday, for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.50 p. m., New York 9.30 p. m., Baltimore 6.45 p. m., Washington 7.50 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through from Williamsport and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia.

3:50 p. m.—Train 6, daily except Sunday for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., New York 7.33 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:00 a. m.

9:40 p. m.—Train 4, daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 6:52 a. m., New York 9:33 a. m., 10:25 a. m. Sundays, Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7. 40 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie and Williamsport to Philadelphia, and passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia, and Williamsport to Baltimore. Passengers in sleeper for Baltimore and Washington will be transferred into Washington sleeper at Harrisburg.

WESTWARD.

5:00 a. m.—Train 1, daily except Sunday for Ridgway, DuBois Clermont and intermediate stations, leaves Ridgway 3:00 p. m. for Erie.

10:25 a. m.—Train 3, daily for Erie and intermediate stations.

7:45 p. m.—Train 11 daily except Sunday Kane and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 1 leaves Renovo 4.40 a. m., daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Jc. 5:50 a. m.

Train 11 leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7.50 a. m., Baltimore 8.45 a. m., Wilkesbarre 10 15 a. m., daily except Sunday, arriving at Emporium Junction 7:00 p. m. with Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport and passenger coaches to Kane.

Train 3, leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10.40, Baltimore 11.50 p. m., daily arriving at Emporium Junc. 10:25 a.m., with Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie.

JOHNSONBURG RAIL ROAD
Daily except Sunday.

NORTH A. M. Lv.	STATIONS.	SOUTH Ar. P. M.
9 30	Ridgway	[illegible]
9 44	Johnsonburg	[illegible]
10 00	Glen Hazel	[illegible]
10 13	Straight	[illegible]
10 18	Instanter	[illegible]
10 2[illegible]	Smith's Run	[illegible]
10 32	Woodvale	[illegible]
10 40	Clermont	[illegible]

Connections are made with train 1, leaving Johnsonburg at 3.15 p. m. for Erie and intermediate points, arriving at Erie at [illegible] also at Ridgway with train 6, leaving Ridgway at 1.45 p. m. for Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington.

S. M. PREVOST, General Manager.
J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway

THE SHORT LINE

On and after Nov. 25, 1894, passenger trains between Buffalo, Rochester, Salamanca, Bradford, Ridgway, DuBois, Punxsutawney and the Coal and Lumber Regions of Pennsylvania, will leave Bradford and Mt. Jewett daily except Sunday, as follows.

LEAVE BRADFORD—EAST BOUND.

7.45 a. m.—Buffalo & Rochester Express—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy and Rochester.

2.00 p. m.—Mail—For Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Coldren, Buffalo, Machias, Gainesville, Silver Springs, Warsaw, LeRoy & Rochester

5.10 p. m.—Buffalo Express—Daily. For Limestone, Carrollton, Salamanca, Ellicottville, Springville, Colden and Buffalo.

LEAVE MT. JEWETT—SOUTH-BOUND.

6.27 a. m.—Accommodation—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

2.52 p. m.—Mail—For Johnsonburg, Ridgway, Brockwayville, DuBois and Punxsutawney.

Thousand Mile Tickets, good for passage [illegible]

Passengers are requested to purchase tickets before entering the cars. An excess charge of TEN CENTS will be collected by Conductors when fares are paid on trains, from all stations where a Ticket Office is maintained.

For time tables and full information call on or address any of the Company's agents, or

D. LUNDERGAN, Agent Bradford, Pa.
EDWARD C. LAPEY,
R. G. MATTHEWS, Gen'l Passenger Agt.,
General Superintendent, Rochester N. Y.
Rochester, N. Y.

BUFFALO & SUSQUEHANNA R. R.

TIME TABLE.

Took effect Monday, Nov. 26th 1894

STATIONS.
Keating
Cowley Junc.
Austin
Costello
Wharton
Logue
Hull
Cross Fork Jc
Germania
Galeton
Gaines
Ansonia
Cross Fork Jc.
Cr'ss F'k

H. Hutchinson, Train Master.
C. W. Goodyear, Gen'l Manager.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY R. R.

Time Table, takes effect Monday, [illegible]

A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	STATIONS.
1.35	7.30	12.35	Coudersport
10.53	7.26	12.31	Pine Creek Jc
10.51	[illegible]	[illegible]	Hammond
10.47	7.21	[illegible]	Fish Basket
10.44	[illegible]	12.46	Olmsted
10.29	[illegible]	12.41	Mina
10.32	7 42	12.34	Knowlton
10.27	7.38	12.20	Roulette
10.14	7.31	12.21	Burtville
10.05	7.25	[illegible]	Coleman
10.00	7.20	12.10	Port Allegany

An additional train leaves Port Allegany at 5.10 p. m. for Coudersport.

PINE CREEK DIVISION.

1.00 p m	Coudersport
1.05	Pine Creek Junction
1.00	Fair Grounds
1.18	Ladona
1.20	Sweden Valley

Trains run on eastern standard time

B. A. McCLURE, Supt.

Bradford, Bordell and Kinzua R. R.

Direct lines between Bradford, Kane and the Elk county oil field.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT [illegible]

WESTWARD		STATIONS.
p.m.	a.m.	
7 40	9 35	ar....Bradford....lv
7 21	[illegible]	Tarport Hill
7 10	[illegible]	Kinzua Junct'n
6 47	9 07	McCalmont
6 45	[illegible]	New City
[illegible]	[illegible]	Rixford
[illegible]	[illegible]	Aiken
5 43	8 40	Davis
[illegible]	[illegible]	Simpson
[illegible]	[illegible]	McKeans
[illegible]	[illegible]	Ormsby
[illegible]	[illegible]	Smethport
p.m.	a.m.	(P. & W. Ry)
6 25	8 00	ar...Ormsby Junct'n...lv
[illegible]	[illegible]	Mt. Jewett
5 10	[illegible]	Kane
[illegible]		Spring Creek
[illegible]		Sheffield Junct'n
[illegible]		Marienville
[illegible]		Tylersburg
[illegible]		Clarion
[illegible]		Foxburg
[illegible]		Butler
[illegible]		Allegheny

JNO C McKENNA, Superintendent.

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